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<b>(54) Title:</b> GROUP B STREPTOCOCCUS ANTIGENS  <b>(57) Abstract</b>  Group B streptococcus (GBS) proteins and polynucleotides encoding them are disclosed. Said proteins are antigenic and therefore useful vaccine components for the prophylaxis or therapy of streptococcus infection in animals. Also disclosed are recombinant methods of producing the protein antigens as well as diagnostic assays for detecting streptococcus bacterial infection.		

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## GROUP B STREPTOCOCCUS ANTIGENS

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## FIELD OF THE INVENTION

The present invention is related to antigens, more particularly protein antigens of group B streptococcus (GBS) bacterial pathogen which are useful as vaccine components for therapy and/or prophylaxis.

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## BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

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Streptococcus are gram (+) bacteria that are differentiated by group specific carbohydrate antigens A through O found on their cell surface. Streptococcus groups are further distinguished by type-specific capsular polysaccharide antigens. Several serotypes have been identified for the Group B streptococcus (GBS) : Ia, Ib, II, III, IV, V, VI, VII and VIII. GBS also contains antigenic proteins known as "C-proteins" (alpha, beta, gamma and delta), some of which have been cloned.

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Although GBS is a common component of the normal human vaginal and colonic flora this pathogen has long been recognized as a major cause of neonatal sepsis and meningitis, late-onset meningitis in infants, postpartum endometritis as well as mastitis in dairy herds. Expectant mothers exposed to GBS are at risk of postpartum infection and may transfer the infection to their baby as the child passes through the birth canal. Although the organism is sensitive to antibiotics, the high attack rate and rapid onset of sepsis in neonates and meningitis in infants results in high morbidity and mortality.

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To find a vaccine that will protect individuals from GBS infection, researches have turned to the type-specific antigens. Unfortunately these polysaccharides have proven to  
5 be poorly immunogenic in humans and are restricted to the particular serotype from which the polysaccharide originates. Further, capsular polysaccharide elicit a T cell independent response i.e. no IgG production. Consequently capsular polysaccharide antigens are unsuitable  
10 as a vaccine component for protection against GBS infection.

Others have focused on the C-protein beta antigen which demonstrated immunogenic properties in mice and rabbit models. This protein was found to be unsuitable as a human  
15 vaccine because of its undesirable property of interacting with high affinity and in a non-immunogenic manner with the Fc region of human IgA. The C-protein alpha antigen is rare in type III serotypes of GBS which is the serotype responsible for most GBS mediated conditions and is  
20 therefore of little use as a vaccine component.

Therefore there remains an unmet need for GBS antigens that may be used as vaccine components for the prophylaxis and/or  
25 therapy of GBS infection.

#### SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

30 According to one aspect, the present invention provides an isolated polynucleotide encoding a polypeptide having at least 70% identity to a second polypeptide comprising a sequence selected from the group consisting of:  
35 SEQ ID NO: 2, SEQ ID NO: 3, SEQ ID NO: 4, SEQ ID NO: 5, SEQ ID NO: 6, SEQ ID NO: 8, SEQ ID NO: 9, SEQ ID NO:10, SEQ ID NO:11, SEQ ID NO:12, SEQ ID NO:14, SEQ ID NO:15, SEQ ID NO:16, SEQ ID NO:17, SEQ ID NO:18, SEQ ID NO:19,



SEQ ID NO:20, SEQ ID NO:21, SEQ ID NO:23, SEQ ID NO:24,  
SEQ ID NO:25, SEQ ID NO:26, SEQ ID NO:28, SEQ ID NO:29,  
SEQ ID NO:30, SEQ ID NO:31, SEQ ID NO:33, SEQ ID NO:34,  
SEQ ID NO:35, SEQ ID NO:36, SEQ ID NO:38, SEQ ID NO:39,  
5 SEQ ID NO:40, SEQ ID NO:41 and SEQ ID NO:44 or fragments,  
analogs or derivatives thereof.

In other aspects, there is provided vectors comprising  
polynucleotides of the invention operably linked to an  
10 expression control region, as well as host cells transfected  
with said vectors and methods of producing polypeptides  
comprising culturing said host cells under conditions  
suitable for expression.

15 In yet another aspect, there is provided novel polypeptides  
encoded by polynucleotides of the invention.

#### BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

20 Figure 1a is the DNA sequence of clone 1 (SEQ ID NO :1) with  
corresponding amino acid sequences for open reading frames;  
figure 1b is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO: 2;  
figure 1c is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO: 3;  
25 figure 1d is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO: 4;  
figure 1e is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO: 5;  
figure 1f is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO: 6;

Figure 2a is the DNA sequence of clone 2 (SEQ ID NO :7) with  
30 corresponding amino acid sequences for open reading frames;  
figure 2b is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO: 8;  
figure 2c is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO: 9;  
figure 2d is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:10;  
figure 2e is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:11;  
35 figure 2f is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:12;

Figure 3a is the DNA sequence of clone 3 (SEQ ID NO :13) with corresponding amino acid sequences for open reading frames;

- figure 3b is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:14;  
5 figure 3c is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:15;  
figure 3d is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:16;  
figure 3e is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:17;  
figure 3f is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:18;  
figure 3g is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:19;  
10 figure 3h is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:20;  
figure 3i is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:21;

Figure 4a is the DNA sequence of clone 4 (SEQ ID NO :22) with corresponding amino acid sequences for open reading frames;

- 15 figure 4b is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:23;  
figure 4c is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:24;  
figure 4d is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:25;  
figure 4e is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:26;

20 Figure 5a is the DNA sequence of clone 5 (SEQ ID NO :27) with corresponding amino acid sequences for open reading frames;

- figure 5b is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:28;  
25 figure 5c is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:29;  
figure 5d is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:30;  
figure 5e is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:31;

Figure 6a is the DNA sequence of clone 6 (SEQ ID NO :32) ;

- 30 figure 6b is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:33;  
figure 6c is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:34;  
figure 6d is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:35;  
figure 6e is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:36;

- 35 Figure 7a is the DNA sequence of clone 7 (SEQ ID NO :37);  
figure 7b is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:38;

figure 7c is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:39;  
figure 7d is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:40;  
figure 7e is the amino acid sequence SEQ ID NO:41;

- 5 Figure 8 is the DNA sequence of a part of clone 7 including a signal sequence (SEQ ID NO :42);

Figure 9 is the DNA sequence of a part of clone 7 without a signal sequence (SEQ ID NO :43);

- 10 Figure 9a is the amino acid sequence (SEQ ID NO:44);

Figure 10 represents the distribution of anti-GBS ELISA titers in sera from CD-1 mice immunized with recombinant GBS protein corresponding to the SEQ ID NO:39.

## DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION

The present invention relates to novel antigenic polypeptides of group B streptococcus (GBS) characterized by the amino acid sequence selected from the group consisting of:

SEQ ID NO: 2, SEQ ID NO: 3, SEQ ID NO: 4, SEQ ID NO: 5,  
SEQ ID NO: 6, SEQ ID NO: 8, SEQ ID NO: 9, SEQ ID NO:10,  
SEQ ID NO:11, SEQ ID NO:12, SEQ ID NO:14, SEQ ID NO:15,  
10 SEQ ID NO:16, SEQ ID NO:17, SEQ ID NO:18, SEQ ID NO:19,  
SEQ ID NO:20, SEQ ID NO:21, SEQ ID NO:23, SEQ ID NO:24,  
SEQ ID NO:25, SEQ ID NO:26, SEQ ID NO:28, SEQ ID NO:29,  
SEQ ID NO:30, SEQ ID NO:31, SEQ ID NO:33, SEQ ID NO:34,  
SEQ ID NO:35, SEQ ID NO:36, SEQ ID NO:38, SEQ ID NO:39,  
15 SEQ ID NO:40, SEQ ID NO:41 and SEQ ID NO:44 or fragments,  
analogs or derivatives thereof.

A preferred embodiment of the invention includes SEQ ID NO :39 and SEQ ID NO:44.

20 A further preferred embodiment of the invention is SEQ ID NO :39.

A further preferred embodiment of the invention is SEQ ID  
25 NO :44.

As used herein, "fragments", "derivatives" or "analogs" of the polypeptides of the invention include those polypeptides in which one or more of the amino acid residues are  
30 substituted with a conserved or non-conserved amino acid residue (preferably conserved) and which may be natural or unnatural.

The terms «fragments», «derivatives» or «analogues» of  
35 polypeptides of the present invention also include polypeptides which are modified by addition, deletion,

substitution of amino acids provided that the polypeptides retain the capacity to induce an immune response.

5 By the term «conserved amino acid» is meant a substitution of one or more amino acids for another in which the antigenic determinant (including its secondary structure and hydropathic nature) of a given antigen is completely or partially conserved in spite of the substitution.

10 For example, one or more amino acid residues within the sequence can be substituted by another amino acid of a similar polarity, which acts as a functional equivalent, resulting in a silent alteration. Substitutes for an amino acid within the sequence may be selected from other members  
15 of the class to which the amino acid belongs. For example, the nonpolar (hydrophobic) amino acids include alanine, leucine, isoleucine, valine, proline, phenylalanine, tryptophan and methionine. The polar neutral amino acids include glycine, serine, threonine, cysteine, tyrosine,  
20 asparagine and glutamine. The positively charged (basic) amino acids include arginine, lysine and histidine. The negatively charged (acidic) amino acids include aspartic acid and glutamic acid.

25 Preferably, derivatives and analogs of polypeptides of the invention will have about 70% identity with those sequences illustrated in the figures or fragments thereof. That is, 70% of the residues are the same. More preferably polypeptides will have greater than 95% homology. In another  
30 preferred embodiment, derivatives and analogs of polypeptides of the invention will have fewer than about 20 amino acid residue substitutions, modifications or deletions and more preferably less than 10. Preferred substitutions are those known in the art as conserved i.e. the substituted  
35 residues share physical or chemical properties such as hydrophobicity, size, charge or functional groups.

Furthermore, in those situations where amino acid regions are found to be polymorphic, it may be desirable to vary one or more particular amino acids to more effectively mimic the different epitopes of the different GBS strains.

Also included are polypeptides which have fused thereto other compounds which alter the polypeptides biological or pharmacological properties i.e. polyethylene glycol (PEG) to increase half-life; leader or secretory amino acid sequences for ease of purification; prepro- and pro- sequences; and (poly)saccharides.

Moreover, the polypeptides of the present invention can be modified by terminal  $-NH_2$  acylation (eg. by acetylation, or thioglycolic acid amidation, terminal carboxy amidation, e.g. with ammonia or methylamine) to provide stability, increased hydrophobicity for linking or binding to a support or other molecule.

Also contemplated are hetero and homo polypeptide multimers of the polypeptide fragments, analogues and derivatives. These polymeric forms include, for example, one or more polypeptides that have been cross-linked with cross-linkers such as avidin/biotin, gluteraldehyde or dimethyl-superoxide. Such polymeric forms also include polypeptides containing two or more tandem or inverted contiguous sequences, produced from multicistronic mRNAs generated by recombinant DNA technology.

Preferably, a fragment, analog or derivative of a polypeptide of the invention will comprise at least one antigenic region i.e. at least one epitope.

In order to achieve the formation of antigenic polymers (i.e. synthetic multimers), polypeptides may be utilized having bishaloacetyl groups, nitroarylhalides, or the like,

where the reagents being specific for thio groups.  
Therefore, the link between two mercapto groups of the  
different peptides may be a single bond or may be composed  
of a linking group of at least two, typically at least four,  
5 and not more than 16, but usually not more than about 14  
carbon atoms.

In a particular embodiment, polypeptide fragments, analogs  
and derivatives of the invention do not contain a methionine  
10 (Met) starting residue. Preferably, polypeptides will not  
incorporate a leader or secretory sequence (signal  
sequence). The signal portion of a polypeptide of the  
invention may be determined according to established  
molecular biological techniques. In general, the  
15 polypeptide of interest may be isolated from a GBS culture  
and subsequently sequenced to determine the initial residue  
of the mature protein and therefor the sequence of the  
mature polypeptide.

20 According to another aspect, there is provided vaccine  
compositions comprising one or more GBS polypeptides of the  
invention in admixture with a pharmaceutically acceptable  
carrier diluent or adjuvant.

25 Suitable adjuvants include oils i.e. Freund's complete or  
incomplete adjuvant; salts i.e.  $\text{AlK}(\text{SO}_4)_2$ ,  $\text{AlNa}(\text{SO}_4)_2$ ,  
 $\text{AlNH}_4(\text{SO}_4)_2$ ,  $\text{Al}(\text{OH})_3$ ,  $\text{AlPO}_4$ , silica, kaolin; saponin  
derivative; carbon polynucleotides i.e. poly IC and poly AU  
and also detoxified cholera toxin (CTB) and E.coli heat  
30 labile toxin for induction of mucosal immunity. Preferred  
adjuvants include QuilA™, Alhydrogel™ and Adjuphos™.  
Vaccines of the invention may be administered parenterally  
by injection, rapid infusion, nasopharyngeal absorption,  
dermoabsorption, or bucal or oral.

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- Vaccine compositions of the invention are used for the treatment or prophylaxis of *streptococcus* infection and/or diseases and symptoms mediated by *streptococcus* infection,
- 5 in particular group A *streptococcus* (*pyogenes*), group B *streptococcus* (GBS or *agalactiae*), *dysgalactiae*, *uberis*, *nocardia* as well as *Staphylococcus aureus*. General information about *Streptococcus* is available in Manual of Clinical Microbiology by P.R.Murray et al. (1995, 6<sup>th</sup> Edition,
- 10 ASM Press, Washington, D.C.). More particularly group B *streptococcus*, *agalactiae*. In a particular embodiment vaccines are administered to those individuals at risk of GBS infection such as pregnant women and infants for sepsis, meningitis and pneumonia as well as immunocompromised
- 15 individuals such as those with diabetes, liver disease or cancer. Vaccines may also have veterinary applications such as for the treatment of mastitis in cattle which is mediated by the above mentioned bacteria as well as *E.coli*.
- 20 The vaccine of the present invention can also be used for the manufacture of a medicament used for the treatment or prophylaxis of *streptococcus* infection and/or diseases and symptoms mediated by *streptococcus* infection, in particular group A *streptococcus* (*pyogenes*), group B *streptococcus* (GBS
- 25 or *agalactiae*), *dysgalactiae*, *uberis*, *nocardia* as well as *Staphylococcus aureus*. More particularly group B *streptococcus*, *agalactiae*.

- Vaccine compositions are preferably in unit dosage form of
- 30 about 0.001 to 100 µg/kg (antigen/body weight) and more preferably 0.01 to 10 µg/kg and most preferably 0.1 to 1 µg/kg 1 to 3 times with an interval of about 1 to 12 weeks intervals between immunizations, and more preferably 1 to 6



weeks.

According to another aspect, there is provided polynucleotides encoding polypeptides of group B

5 streptococcus (GBS) characterized by the amino acid sequence selected from the group consisting of:

SEQ ID NO: 2, SEQ ID NO: 3, SEQ ID NO: 4, SEQ ID NO: 5,  
SEQ ID NO: 6, SEQ ID NO: 8, SEQ ID NO: 9, SEQ ID NO: 10,  
SEQ ID NO: 11, SEQ ID NO: 12, SEQ ID NO: 14, SEQ ID NO: 15,  
10 SEQ ID NO: 16, SEQ ID NO: 17, SEQ ID NO: 18, SEQ ID NO: 19,  
SEQ ID NO: 20, SEQ ID NO: 21, SEQ ID NO: 23, SEQ ID NO: 24,  
SEQ ID NO: 25, SEQ ID NO: 26, SEQ ID NO: 28, SEQ ID NO: 29,  
SEQ ID NO: 30, SEQ ID NO: 31, SEQ ID NO: 33, SEQ ID NO: 34,  
SEQ ID NO: 35, SEQ ID NO: 36, SEQ ID NO: 38, SEQ ID NO: 39,  
15 SEQ ID NO: 40, SEQ ID NO: 41 and SEQ ID NO: 44 or fragments,  
analogues or derivatives thereof.

Preferred polynucleotides are those illustrated in figures 1a (SEQ ID NO: 1), 2a (SEQ ID NO: 7), 3a (SEQ ID NO: 13), 4a  
20 (SEQ ID NO: 22), 5a (SEQ ID NO: 27), 6a (SEQ ID NO: 32), 7a (SEQ ID NO: 37), 8 (SEQ ID NO : 42) and 9 (SEQ ID NO : 43) which correspond to the open reading frames, encoding polypeptides of the invention.

25 Preferred polynucleotides are those illustrated in figures 1a (SEQ ID NO: 1), 2a (SEQ ID NO: 7), 3a (SEQ ID NO: 13), 4a (SEQ ID NO: 22), 5a (SEQ ID NO: 27), 6a (SEQ ID NO: 32), 7a (SEQ ID NO: 37), 8 (SEQ ID NO : 42) and 9 (SEQ ID NO : 43) and fragments, analogues and derivatives thereof.

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More preferred polynucleotides of the invention are those illustrated in Figures 7 (SEQ ID NO : 37), 8 (SEQ ID NO : 42) and 9 (SEQ ID NO : 43).

35 Most preferred polynucleotides of the invention are those illustrated in Figures 8 (SEQ ID NO : 42) and 9 (SEQ ID NO :

43).

It will be appreciated that the polynucleotide sequences illustrated in the figures may be altered with degenerate  
5 codons yet still encode the polypeptides of the invention.

Due to the degeneracy of nucleotide coding sequences, other polynucleotide sequences which encode for substantially the same polypeptides of the present invention may be used in  
10 the practice of the present invention. These include but are not limited to nucleotide sequences which are altered by the substitution of different codons that encode the same amino acid residue within the sequence, thus producing a silent change.

15 Accordingly the present invention further provides polynucleotides which hybridize to the polynucleotide sequences herein above described (or the complement sequences thereof) having 50% and preferably at least 70%  
20 identity between sequences. More preferably polynucleotides are hybridizable under stringent conditions i.e. having at least 95% identity and most preferably more than 97% identity.

25 By capable of hybridizing under stringent conditions is meant annealing of a nucleic acid molecule to at least a region of a second nucleic acid sequence (whether as cDNA, mRNA, or genomic DNA) or to its complementary strand under standard conditions, e.g. high temperature and/or low salt  
30 content, which tend to disfavor hybridization of noncomplementary nucleotide sequences. A suitable protocol is described in Maniatis T. et al., Molecular cloning : A Laboratory Manual, Cold Springs Harbor Laboratory, 1982, which is herein incorporated by reference.

35 In a further aspect, polynucleotides encoding polypeptides

of the invention, or fragments, analogs or derivatives thereof, may be used in a DNA immunization method.

That is, they can be incorporated into a vector which is replicable and expressible upon injection thereby producing the antigenic polypeptide in vivo. For example polynucleotides may be incorporated into a plasmid vector under the control of the CMV promoter which is functional in eukaryotic cells. Preferably the vector is injected intramuscularly.

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According to another aspect, there is provided a process for producing polypeptides of the invention by recombinant techniques by expressing a polynucleotide encoding said polypeptide in a host cell and recovering the expressed polypeptide product. Alternatively, the polypeptides can be produced according to established synthetic chemical techniques i.e. solution phase or solid phase synthesis of oligopeptides which are ligated to produce the full polypeptide (block ligation).

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For recombinant production, host cells are transfected with vectors which encode the polypeptide, and then cultured in a nutrient media modified as appropriate for activating promoters, selecting transformants or amplifying the genes. Suitable vectors are those that are viable and replicable in the chosen host and include chromosomal, non-chromosomal and synthetic DNA sequences e.g. bacterial plasmids, phage DNA, baculovirus, yeast plasmids, vectors derived from combinations of plasmids and phage DNA. The polypeptide sequence may be incorporated in the vector at the appropriate site using restriction enzymes such that it is operably linked to an expression control region comprising a promoter, ribosome binding site (consensus region or Shine-Dalgarno sequence), and optionally an operator (control element). One can select individual components of the expression control region that are appropriate for a given

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host and vector according to established molecular biology principles (Sambrook et al, Molecular Cloning: A Laboratory Manual, 2nd ed., Cold Spring Harbor, N.Y., 1989 incorporated herein by reference). Suitable promoters include but are not  
5 limited to LTR or SV40 promoter, *E.coli* lac, tac or trp promoters and the phage lambda P<sub>L</sub> promoter. Vectors will preferably incorporate an origin of replication as well as selection markers i.e. ampicillin resistance gene. Suitable bacterial vectors include pET, pQE70, pQE60, pQE-9, pbs,  
10 pD10 phagescript, psiX174, pbluescript SK, pbsks, pNH8A, pNH16a, pNH18A, pNH46A, ptrc99a, pKK223-3, pKK233-3, pDR540, pRIT5 and eukaryotic vectors pBlueBacIII, pWLNEO, pSV2CAT, pOG44, pXT1, pSG, pSVK3, pBPV, pMSG and pSVL. Host cells may be bacterial i.e. *E.coli*, *Bacillus subtilis*,  
15 *Streptomyces*; fungal i.e. *Aspergillus niger*, *Aspergillus nidulins*; yeast i.e. *Saccharomyces* or eukaryotic i.e. CHO, COS.

Upon expression of the polypeptide in culture, cells are  
20 typically harvested by centrifugation then disrupted by physical or chemical means (if the expressed polypeptide is not secreted into the media) and the resulting crude extract retained to isolate the polypeptide of interest. .  
Purification of the polypeptide from culture media or lysate  
25 may be achieved by established techniques depending on the properties of the polypeptide i.e. using ammonium sulfate or ethanol precipitation , acid extraction, anion or cation exchange chromatography, phosphocellulose chromatography, hydrophobic interaction chromatography, hydroxylapatite  
30 chromatography and lectin chromatography. Final purification may be achieved using HPLC.

The polypeptide may be expressed with or without a leader or secretion sequence. In the former case the leader may be  
35 removed using post-translational processing (see US

4,431,739; 4,425,437; and 4,338,397 incorporated herein by reference) or be chemically removed subsequent to purifying the expressed polypeptide.

- 5 According to a further aspect, the GBS polypeptides of the invention may be used in a diagnostic test for streptococcus infection in particular GBS infection. Several diagnostic methods are possible, for example detecting streptococcus organism in a biological sample, the following procedure may
- 10 be followed:
- a) obtaining a biological sample from a patient;
  - b) incubating an antibody or fragment thereof reactive with a GBS polypeptide of the invention with the biological sample to form a mixture; and
  - 15 c) detecting specifically bound antibody or bound fragment in the mixture which indicates the presence of streptococcus.

Alternatively, a method for the detection of antibody

20 specific to a streptococcus antigen in a biological sample containing or suspected of containing said antibody may be performed as follows:

- a) isolating a biological sample from a patient;
- b) incubating one or more GBS polypeptides of the
- 25 invention or fragments thereof with the biological sample to form a mixture; and
- c) detecting specifically bound antigen or bound fragment in the mixture which indicates the presence of antibody specific to streptococcus.

30 One of skill in the art will recognize that this diagnostic test may take several forms, including an immunological test such as an enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay (ELISA), a radioimmunoassay or a latex agglutination assay, essentially

35 to determine whether antibodies specific for the protein are present in an organism.

The DNA sequences encoding polypeptides of the invention may also be used to design DNA probes for use in detecting the presence of streptococcus in a biological sample suspected of containing such bacteria. The detection method of this invention comprises:

- a) isolating the biological sample from a patient;
- b) incubating one or more DNA probes having a DNA sequence encoding a polypeptide of the invention or fragments thereof with the biological sample to form a mixture; and
- c) detecting specifically bound DNA probe in the mixture which indicates the presence of streptococcus bacteria.

The DNA probes of this invention may also be used for detecting circulating streptococcus i.e. GBS nucleic acids in a sample, for example using a polymerase chain reaction, as a method of diagnosing streptococcus infections. The probe may be synthesized using conventional techniques and may be immobilized on a solid phase, or may be labeled with a detectable label. A preferred DNA probe for this application is an oligomer having a sequence complementary to at least about 6 contiguous nucleotides of the GBS polypeptides of the invention.

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Another diagnostic method for the detection of streptococcus in a patient comprises:

- a) labeling an antibody reactive with a polypeptide of the invention or fragment thereof with a detectable label;
- b) administering the labeled antibody or labeled fragment to the patient; and
- c) detecting specifically bound labeled antibody or labeled fragment in the patient which indicates the presence of streptococcus.

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A further aspect of the invention is the use of the GBS

polypeptides of the invention as immunogens for the production of specific antibodies for the diagnosis and in particular the treatment of streptococcus infection. Suitable antibodies may be determined using appropriate  
5 screening methods, for example by measuring the ability of a particular antibody to passively protect against streptococcus infection in a test model. One example of an animal model is the mouse model described in the examples herein. The antibody may be a whole antibody or an antigen-  
10 binding fragment thereof and may in general belong to any immunoglobulin class. The antibody or fragment may be of animal origin, specifically of mammalian origin and more specifically of murine, rat or human origin. It may be a natural antibody or a fragment thereof, or if desired, a  
15 recombinant antibody or antibody fragment. The term recombinant antibody or antibody fragment means antibody or antibody fragment which were produced using molecular biology techniques. The antibody or antibody fragments may be polyclonal, or preferably monoclonal. It may be specific  
20 for a number of epitopes associated with the GBS polypeptides but is preferably specific for one.

25 EXAMPLE 1 Murine model of lethal Group B Streptococcus (GBS) infection

The mouse model of GBS infection is described in detail in Lancefield et al (J Exp Med 142:165-179,1975). GBS strain C388/90 (Clinical isolate obtained in 1990 from the  
30 cephalorachidian fluid of a patient suffering from meningitis, Children's Hospital of Eastern Ontario, Ottawa, Canada) and NCS246 (National Center for Streptococcus, Provincial Laboratory of Public Health for Northern Alberta, Edmonton, Canada) were respectively serotyped as type Ia/c  
35 and type II/R.

To increase their virulence, the GBS strains C388/90 (serotype Ia/c) and NCS 246 (serotype II/R) were serially passaged through mice as described previously (Lancefield et al. J Exp Med 142:165-179, 1975). Briefly, the increase of virulence was monitored using intraperitoneal inoculations of serial dilutions of a subculture in Todd-Hewitt broth obtained from either the blood or spleen of infected mice. After the last passage, infected blood samples were used to inoculate Todd-Hewitt broth. After an incubation of 2 hours at 37°C with 7% CO<sub>2</sub>, glycerol at a final concentration of 10% (v/v) was added to the culture. The culture was then aliquoted and stored at -80° C for use in GBS challenge experiments. The number of cfu of GBS present in these frozen samples was determined. The bacterial concentration necessary to kill 100% (LD100) of the 18 weeks old mice were determined to be 3.5X10<sup>5</sup> and 1.1X10<sup>5</sup> respectively for GBS strain C388/90 and NCS246, which corresponded to a significant increase in virulence for both strains. Indeed, the LD100 recorded before the passages for these two strains was higher than 10<sup>9</sup> cfu.

In a bacterial challenge, a freshly thawed aliquot of a virulent GBS strain was adjusted to the appropriate bacterial concentration using Todd-Hewitt broth and 1ml was injected intraperitoneally to each female CD-1 mouse. The mice used for the passive protection experiments were 6 to 8 weeks old, while the ones used for the active protection experiments were approximately 18 weeks old at the time of the challenge. All inocula were verified by colony counts. Animals were observed for any sign of infection four times daily for the first 48 h after challenge and then daily for the next 12 days. At the end of that period, blood samples were obtained from the survivors and frozen at -20°C. The spleen obtained from each mouse that survived the challenge was cultured in order to identify any remaining GBS.



EXAMPLE 2 Immunization and protection in mice with formaldehyde killed whole GBS cells

- 5 Formaldehyde killed GBS whole cells were prepared according to the procedures described in Lancefield et al (J Exp Med 142:165-179,1975). Briefly, an overnight culture on sheep blood agar plates (Quelab Laboratories, Montreal, Canada) of a GBS strain was washed twice in PBS buffer (phosphate  
10 buffered-saline, pH7.2), adjusted to approximately  $3 \times 10^9$  cfu/mL and incubated overnight in PBS containing 0.3% (v/v) formaldehyde. The killed GBS suspension was washed with PBS and kept frozen at  $-80^\circ\text{C}$ .
- 15 Female CD-1 mice, 6 to 8 weeks old (Charles River, St-Constant, Québec, Canada), were injected subcutaneously three times at two weeks interval with 0.1 ml of formaldehyde killed cells of GBS strain C388/90 ( $\sim 6 \times 10^7$  GBS), or 0.1 ml of PBS for the control group. On the day before  
20 the immunization, Alhydrogel™ (Superfos Biosector, Frederikssund, Denmark) at a final concentration of 0.14 mg or 0.21 mg of Al, was added to these preparations and incubated overnight at  $4^\circ\text{C}$  with agitation. Serum samples were obtained from each mouse before the beginning of the  
25 immunization protocol and two weeks after the last injection. The sera were frozen at  $-20^\circ\text{C}$ .

- Eight mice in each control group injected with PBS and the group immunized with formaldehyde killed whole cells GBS  
30 strain C388/90 (Ia/c) were challenged with  $1.5 \times 10^4$  cfu of GBS strain C388/90 (Ia/c) one week after the third injection. All mice immunized with the formaldehyde killed GBS whole cells survived the homologous challenge while, within 5 days after the challenge, only 4 out of the 8 mice  
35 injected with PBS survived from the infection. In order to increase the mortality rate in the control groups, the

bacterial suspension had to be adjusted according to the age of the mice at the time of the bacterial challenge. In subsequent challenge experiments, when mice were older than 15 weeks, the bacterial inoculum was increased to  
5 concentrations between  $3.0 \times 10^5$  and  $2.5 \times 10^6$  cfu.

Table 1 Immunization of CD1 mice with formaldehyde killed whole cells of GBS and subsequent homologous challenge [strain C388/90 (Ia/c)] and heterologous challenge [strain NCS246 (II/R)].

antigenic preparations used for immunization <sup>1</sup>	number of living mice 14 days after the bacterial challenge (% Survival)	
	homologous challenge: strain C388/90 (Ia/c)	heterologous challenge: strain NCS246 (II/R)
1st infection		
formaldehyde killed cells of GBS strain C388/90 (Ia/c) <sup>2</sup>	8/8 (100) <sup>3</sup>	n.d. <sup>5</sup>
control PBS	4/8 (50)	n.d.
2nd infection		
formaldehyde killed cells of GBS strain C388/90 (Ia/c)	6/6 (100) <sup>4</sup>	0/6 (0) <sup>6</sup>
control PBS	2/6 (33)	0/6 (0)

<sup>1</sup> alhydrogel™ at a final concentration of 0.14 mg or 0.21mg of AI was used;

<sup>2</sup> approximately  $6 \times 10^7$  cfu;

<sup>3</sup> intraperitoneal challenge with 1 mL Todd-Hewitt culture medium containing GBS C388/90 (Ia/c) suspension adjusted to  $1.5 \times 10^4$  cfu;

<sup>4</sup> intraperitoneal challenge with 1 mL Todd-Hewitt culture medium containing GBS C388/90 (Ia/c) suspension adjusted to  $2.1 \times 10^6$  cfu;

<sup>5</sup> not done;

<sup>6</sup> intraperitoneal challenge with 1 mL Todd-Hewitt culture medium containing GBS NCS246 (II/R) suspension adjusted to  $1.2 \times 10^5$  cfu.

In another experiment, one group of 12 mice corresponding to a control group was injected with PBS, while a second group of 12 mice was immunized with formaldehyde killed whole cells of GBS strain C388/90 (Ia/c). Six mice from each of these two groups were challenged with  $2.1 \times 10^6$  cfu of the GBS strain C388/90 (Ia/c) (Table I). As the first challenge experiment, all mice immunized with the GBS strain C388/90 (Ia/c) survived the homologous challenge. Only two out of the 6 mice injected with PBS survived the infection.

The remaining 6 mice in both groups were then used one week later to verify whether this antigenic preparation could confer cross protection against strain NCS246 (II/R) which produce a serologically distinct capsule. None of the mice infected with this second GBS strain survived the infection. The later result suggested that most of the protective immune response induced by formaldehyde killed strain C388/90 is directed against the capsular polysaccharide and that it could be restricted to strains of that particular serotype. These results clearly indicated that this particular model of infection can be efficiently used to study the protection conferred by vaccination.

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EXAMPLE 3 Immunization of rabbit with formaldehyde killed whole GBS cells and passive protection in mice

A New Zealand rabbit (2.5 kg, Charles River, St-Constant, Québec, Canada) was immunized with formaldehyde killed cells of GBS strain C388/90 (Ia/c) to obtain hyperimmune serum. This rabbit was injected subcutaneously three times at three weeks interval with approximately  $1.5 \times 10^9$  cfu of formaldehyde killed whole cells of GBS strain C388/90 (Ia/c). Freund's complete adjuvant (Gibco BRL Life Technologies, Grand Island, New York) was used as the adjuvant for the first immunization, while Freund's incomplete adjuvant (Gibco BRL) was used for the following two injections. Serum samples were obtained before the beginning of the immunization protocol and two weeks after the last injection. The sera were frozen at  $-20^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

The ability of this particular rabbit hyperimmune serum to passively protect mice against a lethal infection with GBS

was also evaluated. Intraperitoneal injection of mice with either 15 or 25  $\mu$ L of hyperimmune rabbit serum 18 hours before the challenge protected 4 out of 5 mice (80%) against the infection. Comparatively, survival rates lower than 20% were recorded for mice in the control group injected with PBS or serum obtained from a rabbit immunized with meningococcal outer membrane preparation. This result clearly indicates that the immunization of another animal species with killed GBS cells can induce the production of antibodies that can passively protect mice. This reagent will also be used to characterize clones.

Table 2 Passive protection of CD-1 mice conferred by rabbit serum obtained after immunization with formaldehyde killed group B whole streptococci (strain C388/90 (Ia/c)) antigenic preparation

groups	number of living mice 14 days after the bacterial challenge with GBS strain C388/90 (Ia/c) <sup>2</sup>	% survival
rabbit hyperimmune serum <sup>2</sup> - 25 $\mu$ l	4/5	80
rabbit hyperimmune serum <sup>1</sup> - 15 $\mu$ l	4/5	80
control rabbit serum - 25 $\mu$ l	1/5	20
control PBS	1/10	10

- <sup>1</sup> Freund's complete adjuvant was used for first immunization, and Freund's incomplete adjuvant for the following two injections;
- <sup>2</sup> intraperitoneal challenge with 1 ml Todd-Hewitt culture medium containing GBS C388/90 (Ia/c) suspension adjusted to  $2 \times 10^4$  cfu.

#### EXAMPLE 4 Recombinant production of His.Tag-GBS fusion protein

The coding region of a GBS gene was amplified by PCR (DNA Thermal Cyclor GeneAmp PCR system 2400 Perkin Elmer, San Jose, CA) from the genomic DNA of GBS strain C388/90 (Ia/c) using the oligos that contained base extensions for the addition of the restriction sites BglII (AGATCT) and HindIII (AAGCTT), respectively. The PCR product was purified from agarose gel using a Qiaex II gel extraction kit from Qiagen (Chatsworth, CA), digested with the restriction enzymes BglII and HindIII (Pharmacia Canada Inc Baie d'Urfe, Canada), and extracted with phenol:chloroform before ethanol precipitation. The pET-32b(+) vector (Novagen, Madison, WI) containing the thioredoxin-His.Tag sequence was digested with the restriction enzymes BglII and HindIII, extracted with phenol:chloroform, and then ethanol precipitated. The BglII-HindIII genomic DNA fragment was ligated to the BglII-HindIII pET-32b(+) vector to create the coding sequence for thioredoxin-His.Tag-GBS fusion protein whose gene was under control of the T7 promoter. The ligated products were transformed into *E. coli* strain XLI Blue MRF' ( $\Delta(mcrA)183\Delta(mcrCB-hsdSMR-mrr)173\ endA1\ supE44\ thi-1\ recA1\ gyrA96\ relA1\ lac\ [F'proAB\ lacI^qZAM15Tn10\ (Tet^r)]^c$ ) (Stratagene, La Jolla, CA) according to the method of Simanis (Hanahan, D. DNA Cloning, 1985, D.M. Glover (ed.), pp. 109-135). The recombinant pET plasmid was purified using a Qiagen kit (Qiagen, Chatsworth, CA) and the nucleotide sequence of the DNA insert was verified by DNA sequencing (Taq Dye Deoxy Terminator Cycle Sequencing kit, ABI, Foster City, CA). The recombinant pET plasmid was transformed by electroporation (Gene Pulser II apparatus, BIO-RAD Labs, Mississauga, Canada) into *E. coli* strain AD494 (DE3) ( $\Delta ara^+ leu7697\ \Delta lacX74\ \Delta phoA\ PvuII\ phoR\ \Delta malF3\ F'[lac^+(lacI^q)\ pro]\ trxB::Kan$  (DE3)) (Novagen, Madison, WI). In this strain of

*E. coli*, the T7 promoter controlling expression of the fusion protein, is specifically recognized by the T7 RNA polymerase (present on the  $\lambda$ DE3 prophage) whose gene is under the control of the lac promoter which is inducible by isopropyl- $\beta$ -D-thio-galactopyranoside (IPTG).

The transformant AD494(DE3)/rpET was grown at 37°C with agitation at 250 rpm in LB broth (peptone 10g/L, Yeast extract 5g/L, NaCl 10g/L) containing 100 $\mu$ g of ampicillin (Sigma-Aldrich Canada Ltd., Oakville, Canada) per mL until the  $A_{600}$  reached a value of 0.6. In order to induce the production of the thioredoxin-His.Tag-GBS fusion protein, the cells were incubated for 2 additional hours in the presence of IPTG at a final concentration of 1mM. The bacterial cells were harvested by centrifugation.

The recombinant fusion protein produced by AD494(DE3)/rpET32 upon IPTG induction for 2h was partially obtained as insoluble inclusion bodies which were purified from endogenous *E. coli* proteins by the isolation of insoluble aggregates (Gerlach, G.F. et al 1992, Infect. Immun. 60:892). Induced cells from a 500 mL culture were resuspended in 20 mL of 25% sucrose-50mM Tris-HCl buffer (pH8.0) and frozen at -70°C. Lysis of cells in thawed suspension was achieved by the addition of 5mL of a solution of lysozyme (10mg/mL) in 250mM Tris-HCl buffer (pH8.0) followed by an incubation of 10 to 15 min on ice, and the addition of 150mL of detergent mix (5 parts of 20mM Tris-HCl buffer [pH7.4]-300mM NaCl-2% deoxycholic acid-2% Nonidet P-40 and 4 parts of 100mM Tris-HCl buffer [pH8]-50mM EDTA-2% Triton X-100) followed by 5 min incubation on ice. Upon sonication, protein aggregates were harvested by centrifugation for 30 min at 35,000 X g and a sample of the soluble cellular fraction was kept. The aggregated proteins were solubilized in 6M guanidine hydrochloride. The

presence of the fusion protein in both the soluble and insoluble fractions was shown by Western Blot analysis using the serum of a mouse injected with formaldehyde killed cells of GBS strain C388/90 (Ia/c) that survived a bacterial  
5 challenge with the corresponding GBS strain.

The purification of the fusion protein from the soluble fraction of IPTG-induced AD494(DE3)/rpET was done by affinity chromatography based on the properties of the  
10 His.Tag sequence (6 consecutive histidine residues) to bind to divalent cations ( $\text{Ni}^{2+}$ ) immobilized on the His.Bind metal chelation resin (Novagen, Madison, WI). The purification method used are those described in the pET system Manual, 6th Edition (Novagen, Madison, WI). Briefly, the pelleted  
15 cells obtained from a 100mL culture induced with IPTG was resuspended in 4mL of Binding buffer (5mM imidazole-500mM NaCl-20mM Tris-HCl pH7.9), sonicated, and spun at 39,000 X g for 20 min to remove debris. The supernatant was filtered (0.45 $\mu$ m pore size membrane) and deposited on a column of  
20 His.Bind resin equilibrated in Binding buffer. The column was then washed with 10 column volumes of Binding buffer followed by 6 column volumes of Wash buffer (20mM imidazole-500mM NaCl-20mM Tris-HCl pH7.9). The thioredoxin-His.Tag-GBS fusion protein was eluted with Elute buffer (1M  
25 imidazole-500mM NaCl-20mM Tris-HCl pH7.9). The removal of the salt and imidazole from the sample was done by dialysis against 3 X 1 liter PBS at 4°C.

The quantities of fusion protein obtained from either the  
30 soluble or insoluble cytoplasmic fractions of *E. coli* were estimated by Coomassie staining of a sodium dodecyl sulfate (SDS)-polyacrylamide gel with serial dilutions of these proteins and a bovine serum albumin standard (Pierce Chemical Co. Rockford, Ill.).

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EXAMPLE 5            Recombinant production of GBS protein under  
control of lambda P<sub>L</sub> promoter

The DNA coding region of a GBS protein was inserted  
5 downstream of the promoter  $\lambda$ P<sub>L</sub> into the translation vector  
pURV22. This plasmid was derived from p629 (George et al,  
1987, Bio/Technology 5:600) from which the coding region for  
a portion of the herpes simplex virus type I (HSV-I)  
glycoprotein (gD-1) was removed and the ampicillin  
10 resistance gene replaced by a kanamycin cassette obtained  
from the plasmid vector pUC4K (Pharmacia Biotech Canada  
Inc., Baie D'Urfe, Canada). The vector contained a cassette  
of the bacteriophage  $\lambda$  cI857 temperature sensitive repressor  
gene from which the functional P<sub>R</sub> promoter had been deleted.  
15 The inactivation of the cI857 repressor by temperature  
increase from the ranges of 30-37°C to 37-42°C resulted in  
the induction of the gene under the control of  $\lambda$  P<sub>L</sub>. The  
translation of the gene was controlled by the ribosome  
binding site cro followed downstream by a BglIII restriction  
20 site (AGATCT) and the ATG: ACTAAGGAGGTTAGATCTATG.

Restriction enzymes and T4 DNA ligase were used according to  
suppliers (Pharmacia Biotech Canada Inc., Baie D'Urfe,  
Canada; and New England Biolabs Ltd., Mississauga, Canada).  
25 Agarose gel electrophoresis of DNA fragments was performed  
as described by Sambrook et al. ( Molecular cloning : A  
laboratory Manual, 1989, Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory  
Press, N.Y). Chromosomal DNA of the GBS bacteria was  
prepared according to procedures described in Jayarao et al  
30 (J. Clin. Microbiol., 1991, 29:2774). DNA amplification  
reactions by polymerase chain reaction (PCR) were made using  
DNA Thermal Cycler GeneAmp PCR system 2400 (Perkin Elmer,  
San Jose, CA). Plasmids used for DNA sequencing were  
purified using plasmid kits from Qiagen (Chatsworth, CA).  
35 DNA fragments were purified from agarose gels using Qiaex II

gel extraction kits from Qiagen (Chatsworth, CA). Plasmid transformations were carried out by the method described by Hanahan (DNA Cloning, Glover (ed.) pp, 109-135, 1985). The sequencing of genomic DNA inserts in plasmids was done using  
5 synthetic oligonucleotides which were synthesized by oligonucleotide synthesizer model 394 (the Perkin-Elmer Corp., Applied Biosystems Div. (ABI), Foster City, CA). The sequencing reactions were carried out by PCR using the Taq Dye Deoxy Terminator Cycle Sequencing kit (ABI, Foster City,  
10 CA) and DNA electrophoresis was performed on automated DNA sequencer 373A (ABI, Foster City, CA). The assembly of the DNA sequence was performed using the program Sequencer 3.0 (Gene Codes Corporation, Ann Arbor, MI). Analysis of the DNA sequences and their predicted polypeptides was performed  
15 with the program Gene Works version 2.45 (Intelligenetics, Inc., Mountain View CA).

The coding region of the GBS gene was amplified by PCR from GBS strain C388/90 (Ia/c) genomic DNA using oligos that  
20 contained base extensions for the addition of restriction sites BglII (AGATCT) and XbaI (TCTAGA), respectively. The PCR product was purified from agarose gel using a Qiaex II gel extraction kit from Qiagen (Chatsworth, CA), digested with the restriction enzymes BglII and XbaI, and extracted with  
25 phenol:chloroform before ethanol precipitation. The pURV22 vector was digested with the restriction enzymes BglII and XbaI, extracted with phenol:chloroform, and ethanol precipitated. The BglII-XbaI genomic DNA fragment was ligated to the BglII-XbaI pURV22 vector in which the GBS  
30 gene was under the control of the  $\lambda$ PL promoter. The ligated products were transformed into *E. coli* strain XLI Blue MRF' ( $\Delta$  (*mcrA*)183 $\Delta$ (*mcrCB*-*hsdSMR*-*mrr*)173 *endA1 supE44 thi-1 recA1 gyrA96 relA1 lac*[F' *proAB lacI*<sup>q</sup>ZAM15 Tn10(Tet<sup>r</sup>)]<sup>c</sup>) (Stratagene, La Jolla CA) according to the methods described  
35 in Hanahan, supra. Transformants harboring plasmids with the

insert were identified by analysis of lysed cells submitted to electrophoresis on agarose gel (Sambrook et al, supra). The recombinant pURV22 plasmid was purified using a Qiagen kit (Qiagen, Chatsworth, CA) and the nucleotide sequence of the DNA insert was verified by DNA sequencing.

The transformant XLI Blue MRF'/rpURV22 was grown at 34°C with agitation at 250 rpm in LB broth containing 50µg of kanamycin per mL until the A<sub>600</sub> reached a value of 0.6. In order to induce the production of the fusion protein, the cells were incubated for 4 additional hours at 39°C. The bacterial cells were harvested by centrifugation, resuspended in sample buffer, boiled for 10 min and kept at -20°C.

#### EXAMPLE 6 Subcloning GBS protein gene in CMV plasmid pCMV-GH

The DNA coding region of a GBS protein was inserted in phase downstream of the human growth hormone (hGH) gene which was under the transcriptional control of the cytomegalovirus (CMV) promoter in the plasmid vector pCMV-GH (Tang et al, Nature, 1992, 356:152). The CMV promoter is non functional in E. coli cells but active upon administration of the plasmid in eukaryotic cells. The vector also incorporated the ampicillin resistance gene.

The coding region of the gene was amplified by PCR from genomic DNA of GBS strain C388/90 (Ia/c) using the oligos that contained base extensions for the addition of the restriction sites BglII (AGATCT) and HindIII (AAGCTT). The PCR product was purified from agarose gel using a Qiaex II gel extraction kit from Qiagen (Chatsworth, CA), digested with the restriction enzymes BglII and HindIII, and extracted with phenol:chloroform before ethanol precipitation. The pCMV-GH vector (Laboratory of Dr. Stephen

A. Johnston, Department of Biochemistry, The University of Texas, Dallas, Texas) containing the human growth hormone to create fusion proteins was digested with the restriction enzymes BamHI and HindIII, extracted with phenol:chloroform, and ethanol precipitated. The 1.3-kb BglII-HindIII genomic DNA fragment was ligated to the BamHI -HindIII pCMV-GH vector to create the hGH-GBS fusion protein under the control of the CMV promoter. The ligated products were transformed into *E. coli* strain DH5 $\alpha$  [ $\phi$ 80 *lacZ*  $\Delta$ M15 *endA*1 *recA*1 *hsdR*17 (<sup>r</sup>K<sup>-</sup>K<sup>+</sup>) *supE*44 *thi*-1 $\lambda$  *gyrA*96 *relA*1  $\Delta$ (*lacZYA*-*argF*)U169] (Gibco BRL, Gaithersburg, MD) according to the methods described by Hanahan, supra. Transformants harboring plasmids with the insert were identified by analysis of lysed cells submitted to electrophoresis on agarose gel (Sambrook, J. et al, supra). The recombinant pCMV plasmid was purified using a Qiagen kit (Qiagen, Chatsworth, CA) and the nucleotide sequence of the DNA insert was verified by DNA sequencing.

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EXAMPLE 7 Immunological activity of GBS protein to GBS challenge

Four groups of 12 female CD-1 mice (Charles River, St-Constant, Quebec, Canada) of 6 to 8 weeks were injected subcutaneously three times at three week intervals with 0.1mL of the following antigenic preparations: formaldehyde killed cells of GBS strain C388/90 ( $\sim 6 \times 10^7$  cfu), 20 $\mu$ g of thioredoxin-His.Tag-GBS fusion protein obtained from the insoluble (inclusion bodies) or 20 $\mu$ g of the fusion protein, affinity purified (nickel column), from the soluble cytoplasmic fraction in *E. coli*, or 20 $\mu$ g of affinity purified (nickel column) thioredoxin-His.Tag control polypeptide. 20 $\mu$ g of QuilA<sup>TM</sup> (Cedarlane Laboratories Ltd, Hornby, Canada)

was added to each antigenic preparation as the adjuvant. Serum samples were obtained from each mouse before immunization (PB) and on days 20 (TB1), 41 (TB2) and 54 (TB3) during the immunization protocols. Sera were frozen  
5 at -20°C.

An increase of the ELISA titers was recorded after each injection of the fusion protein indicating a good primary response and a boost of the specific humoral immune response  
10 after each of the second and third administration. At the end of the immunization period, the means of reciprocal ELISA titers was 456,145 for the group immunized with 20µg of fusion protein obtained from inclusion bodies compared to 290,133 for the group of mice immunized with the protein  
15 from soluble fraction in *E.coli*. The latter result suggests that the protein obtained from inclusion bodies could be more immunogenic than the soluble protein. Analysis of mice sera in ELISA using the affinity purified thioredoxin-His.Tag to coat plates showed that negligible antibody  
20 titers are made against the thioredoxin-His.Tag portion of the fusion protein. The reactivity of the sera from mice injected with the recombinant fusion protein was also tested by ELISA against formaldehyde killed whole cells of GBS strain C388/90. The antibodies induced by immunization with  
25 recombinant fusion protein also recognized their specific epitopes on GBS cells indicating that their conformation is close enough to the native streptococcal protein to induce cross-reactive antibodies.

30 To verify whether the immune response induced by immunization could protect against GBS infection, mice were challenged with  $3.5 \times 10^5$  cfu of GBS strains C338/90 (Ia/c) and  $1.2 \times 10^5$  cfu of strain NCS246 (II/R) the results of which are illustrated in tables 3 and 4 respectively. Mice immunized  
35 with control thioredoxin-His.Tag peptide were not protected against challenge with either GBS strain while those

immunized with formaldehyde killed C388/90 whole cells only provided protection against homologous challenge. The thioredoxin-His.Tag-GBS fusion protein of the invention protected mice from challenge with both GBS strains. Blood  
5 and spleen culture of these mice did not reveal the presence of any GBS.

Table 3 Survival from GBS strain C388/90 (Ia/c) challenge<sup>1</sup>

immunizing agent	no. mice surviving challenge	% survival
thioredoxin-His.Tag <sup>2</sup>	1 / 6	17
formaldehyde killed C388/90 cells <sup>3</sup>	6 / 6	100
thioredoxin-His.Tag-GBS fusion (inclusion body preparation) <sup>4</sup>	6 / 6	100
thioredoxin-His.Tag-GBS fusion (cytoplasmic fraction) <sup>4</sup>	6 / 6	100

- 5 <sup>1</sup> intraperitoneal administration with 1 ml Todd-Hewitt culture medium adjusted to  $3.5 \times 10^5$  cfu;
- <sup>2</sup> 20µg administered; posterior legs paralyzed in surviving mouse; GBS detected in blood and spleen;
- <sup>3</sup>  $6 \times 10^7$  cfu administered;
- <sup>4</sup> 20µg administered.

Table 4 Survival from GBS strain NCS246 (II/R) challenge<sup>1</sup>

immunizing agent	no. mice surviving challenge	% survival
thioredoxin-His.Tag <sup>2</sup>	0 / 6	0
formaldehyde killed C388/90 cells <sup>3</sup>	2 / 6	34
thioredoxin-His.Tag-GBS fusion (inclusion body preparation) <sup>2</sup>	5 / 5 <sup>4</sup>	100
thioredoxin-His.Tag-GBS fusion (cytoplasmic fraction) <sup>2</sup>	6 / 6	100

5 <sup>1</sup> intraperitoneal administration with 1 ml Todd-Hewitt  
culture medium containing GBS NCS246(II/R) suspension  
adjusted to  $1.2 \times 10^5$  cfu.

<sup>2</sup> 20µg administered;

<sup>3</sup>  $6 \times 10^7$  cfu administered;

10 <sup>4</sup> one mouse died during immunization.

#### EXAMPLE 8 Immunization with recombinant GBS protein confers protection against experimental GBS infection

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This example illustrates the protection of mice against  
fatal GBS infection by immunization with the recombinant  
protein corresponding to the SEQ ID NO:39.

20 Groups of 10 female CD-1 mice (Charles River) were immunized  
subcutaneously three times at three-week intervals with 20  
µg of recombinant protein purified from E. coli strain BLR  
(Novagen) harboring the recombinant pURV22 plasmid vector  
containing the GBS gene corresponding to SEQ ID NO:42 in  
25 presence of 20 µg of QuilA<sup>TM</sup> adjuvant (Cedarlane  
Laboratories Ltd, Hornby, Canada) or, as control, with



QuilA™ adjuvant alone in PBS. Blood samples were collected from the orbital sinus on day 1, 22 and 43 prior to each immunization and fourteen days (day 57) following the third injection. One week later the mice were challenged with approximately  $10^4$  to  $10^6$  CFU of various virulent GBS strains.

Samples of the GBS challenge inoculum were plated on TSA/5% sheep blood agar plates to determine the CFU and to verify the challenge dose. Deaths were recorded for a period of 14 days and on day 14 post-challenge, the surviving mice were sacrificed and blood and spleen were tested for the presence of GBS organisms. The survival data are shown in table 5.

Prechallenge sera were analyzed for the presence of antibodies reactive with GBS by standard immunoassays. Elisa and immunoblot analyses indicated that immunization with recombinant GBS protein produced in *E. coli* elicited antibodies reactive with both, recombinant and native GBS protein. Antibody responses to GBS are described in Example 9.

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Table 5. Ability of recombinant GBS protein corresponding to SEQ ID NO: 39 to elicit protection against 8 diverse GBS challenge strains

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Immunogen	Challenge strain		No. alive: No. dead <sup>1</sup>	
	Designation	Type		
rGBS protein	C388/90	Ia/c	8 : 2	(P<0.0001)
none			0 : 10	
rGBS protein	NCS 246	II/R	10 : 0	(P=0.0012)
none			3 : 7	
rGBS protein	ATCC12401	Ib	10 : 0	(P=0.001)
none			3 : 7	
rGBS protein	NCS 535	V	10 : 0	(P=0.01)
none			5 : 5	
rGBS protein	NCS 9842	VI	10 : 0	(P<0.0001)
none			0 : 10	
rGBS protein	NCS 915	III	7 : 3	(P=0.0007) <sup>2</sup>
NCS 915-F <sup>3</sup>			1 : 9	
none			4 : 6	
rGBS protein	NCS 954	III/R	7 : 3	( P=0.002)
NCS 954-F			4 : 6	
none			1 : 9	
rGBS protein	COH1	III	4 : 6	(P=0.0004)
COH1-F			3 : 7	
none			0 : 10	

10 <sup>1</sup> Groups of 10 mice per group were used, the number of mice surviving to infection and the number of dead mice are indicated. The survival curves corresponding to recombinant GBS protein-immunized animals were compared to the survival curves corresponding to mock-immunized animals using the log-rank test for nonparametric analysis.

<sup>2</sup> Comparison analysis to NCS915-F-immunized animals.

15 <sup>3</sup> Animals were immunized with formaldehyde-killed GBS in presence of QuilA<sup>TM</sup> adjuvant.

20 All hemocultures from surviving mice were negative at day 14 post-challenge. Spleen cultures from surviving mice were negative except for few mice from experiment MB-11.

EXAMPLE 9 Vaccination with the recombinant GBS protein  
elicits an immune response to GBS

Groups of 10 female CD-1 mice were immunized subcutaneously  
5 with recombinant GBS protein corresponding to SEQ ID NO:39  
as described in Example 8. In order to assess the antibody  
response to native GBS protein, sera from blood samples  
collected prior each immunization and fourteen days after  
the third immunization were tested for antibody reactive  
10 with GBS cells by ELISA using plates coated with  
formaldehyde-killed GBS cells from type III strain NCS 954,  
type Ib strain ATCC12401, type V strain NCS 535 or type VI  
strain NCS 9842. The specificity of the raised antibodies  
for GBS protein was confirmed by Western blot analyses to  
15 GBS cell extracts and purified recombinant antigens. The  
results shown in Figure 10 clearly demonstrate that animals  
respond strongly to recombinant GBS protein used as  
immunogens with median reciprocal antibody titers varying  
between 12000 and 128000, for sera collected after the third  
20 immunization, depending of the coating antigen. All  
preimmune sera were negative when tested at a dilution of  
1 :100. GBS-reactive antibodies were detectable in the sera  
of each animal after a single injection of recombinant GBS  
protein.

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Example 10 Antigenic conservation of the GBS protein of the present invention

5 Monoclonal antibodies (MAbs) specific to the GBS protein of the present invention were used to demonstrate that this surface antigen is produced by all GBS and that it is also antigenically highly conserved.

10 A collection of 68 GBS isolates was used to evaluate the reactivity of the GBS-specific MAbs. These strains were obtained from the National Center for Streptococcus, Provincial Laboratory of Public Health for Northern Alberta, Canada; Centre Hospitalier Universitaire de Quebec, Pavillon CHUL, Quebec, Canada; American Type Culture Collection, USA; 15 Laboratoire de Sante Publique du Quebec, Canada; and Dept. of Infectious Disease, Children's Hospital and Medical Center, Seattle, USA. All eight MAbs were tested against the following panel of strains: 6 isolates of serotype Ia or Ia/c, 3 isolates of serotype Ib, 4 isolates of serotype II, 20 14 isolates of serotype III, 2 isolates of serotype IV, 2 isolates of serotype V, 2 isolates of serotype VI, 2 isolates of serotype VII, 1 isolate of serotype VIII, 10 isolates that were not serotyped and 3 bovine *S. agalactiae* strains. Mab 3A2 was also reacted with additional GBS: 9 25 isolates of serotype Ia/c and 10 isolates of serotype V. The strains were grown overnight on blood agar plates at 37°C in an atmosphere of 5% CO<sub>2</sub>. Cultures were stored at -70°C in heart infusion broth with 20% (v/v) glycerol.

30 To obtain the GBS protein-specific MAbs, mice were immunized three times at three-week intervals with 20 µg of purified recombinant GBS protein.(SEQ ID NO :44) in the presence of 20% QuilA™ adjuvant. Hybridoma cell lines were generated by fusion of spleen cells recovered from immunized mice with 35 the nonsecreting SP2/O myeloma cell line as described

previously (Hamel, J. et al. 1987. J. Med. Microbiol. 23:163-170). Hybrid clone supernatants were tested for specific antibody production by ELISA using formaldehyde inactivated GBS and purified recombinant GBS protein (SEQ ID NO :39 or 44) as coating antigen, as previously described (Hamel, J. et al. 1987. J. Med. Microbiol. 23:163-170). Specific hybrid were cloned by limiting dilutions, expanded, and frozen in liquid nitrogen. Production of recombinant GBS protein was presented in Examples 4 & 5. Purified recombinant GBS protein or formaldehyde inactivated GBS were resolved by electrophoresis by using the discontinuous buffer system of Laemmli as recommended by the manufacturer and then transfer onto nitrocellulose membrane for Western immunoblotting as described previously (Martin et al. 1992. Infect. Immun. 60:2718-2725).

Western immunoblotting experiments clearly indicated that all eight MAbs recognized a protein band that corresponded to the purified recombinant GBS protein (SEQ ID NO :39). These MAbs also reacted with a protein band present in every GBS isolates tested so far. The reactivity of these GBS-specific MAbs are presented in Table 6. Each MAb reacted well with all 46 GBS. In addition, these MAbs also recognized the 3 *S. agalactiae* strains of bovine origin that were tested. MAb 3A2 also recognized nineteen GBS; 9 isolates of serotype Ia/c and 10 of serotype V. The other MAbs were not tested against these additional strains.

These results demonstrated that the GBS protein (SEQ ID NO :39) was produced by all the 65 GBS and the three 3 *S. agalactiae* strains of bovine origin that were tested so far.

More importantly, these results clearly demonstrated that the epitopes recognized by these eight GBS-specific MAbs were widely distributed and conserved among GBS. These results also indicated that these epitopes were not

restricted to serologically related isolates since representatives of all known GBS serotypes including the major disease causing groups were tested.

- 5 In conclusion, the data presented in this example clearly demonstrated that the GBS protein of the present invention is produced by all GBS and that it is antigenically highly conserved.

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Table 6. Reactivity of eight GBS protein-specific MAb with different *S. agalactiae* strains as evaluated by Western immunoblots.

Mabs	Number of each serotype of <i>s. agalactiae</i> strains recognized by the MAb's.											
	Ia or Ia/c (6)	Ib (3)	II (4)	III (4)	IV (2)	V (2)	VI (2)	VII (2)	VIII (1)	NT(10)2	TOTAL (26)	Bovine (3)
3A21	6	3	4	4	2	2	2	2	1	10	46	3
5A12	6	3	4	4	2	2	2	2	1	10	46	3
6G11	6	3	4	4	2	2	2	2	1	10	46	2
8B9	6	3	4	4	2	2	2	2	1	10	46	3
8E11	6	3	4	4	2	2	2	2	1	10	46	3
12B12	6	3	4	4	2	2	2	2	1	10	46	3
18F11	6	3	4	4	2	2	2	2	1	10	46	3
20G2	6	3	4	4	2	2	2	2	1	10	46	3

1 Nine additional strains of serotype Ia/c and 10 strains of serotype V were recognized by MAb 3A2.

10 2 These strains were not serotyped

## WE CLAIM:

1. An isolated polynucleotide encoding a polypeptide having at least 70% identity to a second polypeptide having a sequence selected from the group consisting of:

SEQ ID NO: 2, SEQ ID NO: 3, SEQ ID NO: 4, SEQ ID NO: 5,  
SEQ ID NO: 6, SEQ ID NO: 8, SEQ ID NO: 9, SEQ ID NO:10,  
SEQ ID NO:11, SEQ ID NO:12, SEQ ID NO:14, SEQ ID NO:15,  
SEQ ID NO:16, SEQ ID NO:17, SEQ ID NO:18, SEQ ID NO:19,  
SEQ ID NO:20, SEQ ID NO:21, SEQ ID NO:23, SEQ ID NO:24,  
SEQ ID NO:25, SEQ ID NO:26, SEQ ID NO:28, SEQ ID NO:29,  
SEQ ID NO:30, SEQ ID NO:31, SEQ ID NO:33, SEQ ID NO:34,  
SEQ ID NO:35, SEQ ID NO:36, SEQ ID NO:38, SEQ ID NO:39,  
SEQ ID NO:40, SEQ ID NO:41 and SEQ ID NO:44 or  
fragments, analogs or derivatives thereof.

2. A polynucleotide according to claim 1, wherein said polynucleotide encodes a polypeptide having at least 95% identity to the second polypeptide.

3. An isolated polynucleotide encoding a polypeptide capable of generating antibodies having binding specificity for a polypeptide having a sequence selected from the group consisting of:

SEQ ID NO: 2, SEQ ID NO: 3, SEQ ID NO: 4, SEQ ID NO: 5,  
SEQ ID NO: 6, SEQ ID NO: 8, SEQ ID NO: 9, SEQ ID NO:10,  
SEQ ID NO:11, SEQ ID NO:12, SEQ ID NO:14, SEQ ID NO:15,  
SEQ ID NO:16, SEQ ID NO:17, SEQ ID NO:18, SEQ ID NO:19,  
SEQ ID NO:20, SEQ ID NO:21, SEQ ID NO:23, SEQ ID NO:24,  
SEQ ID NO:25, SEQ ID NO:26, SEQ ID NO:28, SEQ ID NO:29,  
SEQ ID NO:30, SEQ ID NO:31, SEQ ID NO:33, SEQ ID NO:34,  
SEQ ID NO:35, SEQ ID NO:36, SEQ ID NO:38, SEQ ID NO:39,  
SEQ ID NO:40, SEQ ID NO:41 and SEQ ID NO:44 or  
fragments, analogs or derivatives thereof.



4. An isolated polynucleotide that is complementary to the polynucleotide of claim 1.
5. An isolated polynucleotide that is complementary to the polynucleotide of claim 3.
6. The polynucleotide of claim 1, wherein said polynucleotide is DNA.
7. The polynucleotide of claim 3, wherein said polynucleotide is DNA.
8. The polynucleotide of claim 1, wherein said polynucleotide is RNA.
9. The polynucleotide of claim 3, wherein said polynucleotide is RNA.
10. A polynucleotide which hybridizes under stringent conditions to a second polynucleotide having a sequence selected from the group consisting of :  
SEQ ID NO : 1, SEQ ID NO : 7, SEQ ID NO : 13, SEQ ID NO : 22, SEQ ID NO : 27, SEQ ID NO : 32, SEQ ID NO : 37, SEQ ID NO : 42 and SEQ ID NO : 43 or fragments, analogues or derivatives thereof.
11. A polynucleotide which hybridizes under stringent conditions to a second polynucleotide having a sequence selected from the group consisting of :  
SEQ ID NO : 37, SEQ ID NO : 42 and SEQ ID NO : 43.
12. A polynucleotide according to claim 11 which hybridizes under stringent conditions to a second polynucleotide having the sequence SEQ ID NO : 37.

13. A polynucleotide according to claim 11 which hybridizes under stringent conditions to a second polynucleotide having the sequence SEQ ID NO : 42.
14. A polynucleotide according to claim 11 which hybridizes under stringent conditions to a second polynucleotide having the sequence SEQ ID NO : 43.
15. A polynucleotide according to claim 10 wherein said polynucleotide has at least 95% complementarity to the second polynucleotide.
16. A polynucleotide according to claim 11 wherein said polynucleotide has at least 95% complementarity to the second polynucleotide.
17. A vector comprising the polynucleotide of claim 1, wherein said polynucleotide is operably linked to an expression control region.
18. A vector comprising the polynucleotide of claim 3, wherein said polynucleotide is operably linked to an expression control region.
19. A host cell transfected with the vector of claim 17.
20. A host cell transfected with the vector of claim 18.
21. A process for producing a polypeptide comprising culturing a host cell according to claim 19 under conditions suitable for expression of said polypeptide.
22. A process for producing a polypeptide comprising culturing a host cell according to claim 20 under condition suitable for expression of said polypeptide.

23. An isolated polypeptide having at least 70% identity to a second polypeptide having a sequence selected from the group consisting of:  
SEQ ID NO: 2, SEQ ID NO: 3, SEQ ID NO: 4, SEQ ID NO: 5,  
SEQ ID NO: 6, SEQ ID NO: 8, SEQ ID NO: 9, SEQ ID NO:10,  
SEQ ID NO:11, SEQ ID NO:12, SEQ ID NO:14, SEQ ID NO:15,  
SEQ ID NO:16, SEQ ID NO:17, SEQ ID NO:18, SEQ ID NO:19,  
SEQ ID NO:20, SEQ ID NO:21, SEQ ID NO:23, SEQ ID NO:24,  
SEQ ID NO:25, SEQ ID NO:26, SEQ ID NO:28, SEQ ID NO:29,  
SEQ ID NO:30, SEQ ID NO:31, SEQ ID NO:33, SEQ ID NO:34,  
SEQ ID NO:35, SEQ ID NO:36, SEQ ID NO:38, SEQ ID NO:39,  
SEQ ID NO:40, SEQ ID NO:41 and SEQ ID NO:44 or  
fragments, analogs or derivatives thereof.
24. The isolated polypeptide of claim 23 having a sequence according to SEQ ID NO : 39.
25. The isolated polypeptide of claim 23 having a sequence according to SEQ ID NO : 44.
26. An isolated polypeptide capable of generating antibodies having binding specificity for a second polypeptide having a sequence selected from the group consisting of:  
SEQ ID NO: 2, SEQ ID NO: 3, SEQ ID NO: 4, SEQ ID NO: 5,  
SEQ ID NO: 6, SEQ ID NO: 8, SEQ ID NO: 9, SEQ ID NO:10,  
SEQ ID NO:11, SEQ ID NO:12, SEQ ID NO:14, SEQ ID NO:15,  
SEQ ID NO:16, SEQ ID NO:17, SEQ ID NO:18, SEQ ID NO:19,  
SEQ ID NO:20, SEQ ID NO:21, SEQ ID NO:23, SEQ ID NO:24,  
SEQ ID NO:25, SEQ ID NO:26, SEQ ID NO:28, SEQ ID NO:29,  
SEQ ID NO:30, SEQ ID NO:31, SEQ ID NO:33, SEQ ID NO:34,  
SEQ ID NO:35, SEQ ID NO:36, SEQ ID NO:38, SEQ ID NO:39,  
SEQ ID NO:40, SEQ ID NO:41 and SEQ ID NO:44 or  
fragments, analogs or derivatives thereof.

27. The isolated polypeptide of claim 26 having a sequence according to SEQ ID NO : 39.
28. The isolated polypeptide of claim 26 having a sequence according to SEQ ID NO : 44.
29. An isolated polypeptide having an amino acid sequence selected from the group consisting of:  
SEQ ID NO: 2, SEQ ID NO: 3, SEQ ID NO: 4, SEQ ID NO: 5,  
SEQ ID NO: 6, SEQ ID NO: 8, SEQ ID NO: 9, SEQ ID NO:10,  
SEQ ID NO:11, SEQ ID NO:12, SEQ ID NO:14, SEQ ID NO:15,  
SEQ ID NO:16, SEQ ID NO:17, SEQ ID NO:18, SEQ ID NO:19,  
SEQ ID NO:20, SEQ ID NO:21, SEQ ID NO:23, SEQ ID NO:24,  
SEQ ID NO:25, SEQ ID NO:26, SEQ ID NO:28, SEQ ID NO:29,  
SEQ ID NO:30, SEQ ID NO:31, SEQ ID NO:33, SEQ ID NO:34,  
SEQ ID NO:35, SEQ ID NO:36, SEQ ID NO:38, SEQ ID NO:39,  
SEQ ID NO:40 and SEQ ID NO:41 or fragments, analogs or derivatives thereof.
30. The isolated polypeptide of claim 29 having an amino acid sequence according to SEQ ID NO : 39.
31. An isolated polypeptide having an amino acid sequence according to SEQ ID NO : 44.
32. An isolated polypeptide according to any one of claims 29 to 31, wherein the N-terminal Met residue is deleted.
33. An isolated polypeptide according to any one of claims 29 to 30, wherein the secretory amino acid sequence is deleted.
34. A vaccine composition comprising a polypeptide according to any one of claims 23 to 31 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier, diluent or adjuvant.

35. A vaccine composition comprising a polypeptide according to claim 32 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier, diluent or adjuvant.
36. A vaccine composition comprising a polypeptide according to claim 33 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier, diluent or adjuvant.
37. A method for therapeutic or prophylactic treatment of streptococcal bacterial infection in an animal susceptible to streptococcal infection comprising administering to said animal a therapeutic or prophylactic amount of a composition according to claim 34.
38. A method for therapeutic or prophylactic treatment of streptococcal bacterial infection in an animal susceptible to streptococcal infection comprising administering to said animal a therapeutic or prophylactic amount of a composition according to claim 35.
39. A method for therapeutic or prophylactic treatment of streptococcal bacterial infection in an animal susceptible to streptococcal infection comprising administering to said animal a therapeutic or prophylactic amount of a composition according to claim 36.
40. A method according to any one of claims 37 to 39, wherein said animal is a bovine.
41. A method according to any one of claims 37 to 39, wherein said animal is a human.

42. A method according to any one of claims 37 to 39, wherein said bacterial infection is selected from the group consisting of group A streptococcus and group B streptococcus.
43. A method according to claim 42, wherein said bacterial infection is group B streptococcus.
44. Use of a vaccine composition according to claim 34 for the therapeutic or prophylactic treatment of streptococcal bacterial infection in an animal susceptible to or infected with streptococcal infection comprising administering to said animal a therapeutic or prophylactic amount of the composition.
45. Use of a vaccine composition according to any one of claims 35 to 36 for the therapeutic or prophylactic treatment of streptococcal bacterial infection in an animal susceptible to or infected with streptococcal infection comprising administering to said animal a therapeutic or prophylactic amount of the composition.
46. Use of a vaccine composition according to any one claims 23 to 31 for the manufacture of a vaccine for the therapeutic or prophylactic treatment of streptococcal bacterial infection in an animal susceptible to streptococcal infection comprising administering to said animal a therapeutic or prophylactic amount of the composition.
47. Use of a vaccine composition according to claim 32 for the manufacture of a vaccine for the therapeutic or

prophylactic treatment of streptococcal bacterial infection in an animal susceptible to streptococcal infection comprising administering to said animal a therapeutic or prophylactic amount of the composition.

48. Use of a vaccine composition according to claim 33 for the manufacture of a vaccine for the therapeutic or prophylactic treatment of streptococcal bacterial infection in an animal susceptible to streptococcal infection comprising administering to said animal a therapeutic or prophylactic amount of the composition.

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TGCTAATATT ATGCCAAACT ATGAAAAGAG TATTATCTCT ATTGATTAA TGCCTCACGA 3960
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K Q K I P N G V M D F L F L S L F S Y Y

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Q E K G Y H Y F D L G M A P L S G V G R

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V E T S F A K E R M A Y L V Y H F G S H

TTTCTACTCA TTAAATGGTT TACACAAGTA TAAGAAGAAG TTTACACCAT TGTGGTCGGA 4200
F Y S F N G L H K Y K K K F T P L W S E

ACGTTATATT TCTTGTCTC GTTCGTCCTG GTTAATTTGT GCTATTTGTG CCCTATTAAT 4260
R Y I S C S R S S W L I C A I C A L L M

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E D S K I K I V K

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TATGATGTGC TTTTAAATAT TGTTAGCTA CTGTAGCTGC TGATTTATGC TTTACAGCTA 4440

CTTGGTAGTT CATTTCTTGC ATTTCTTTTT CAGTGATATG ACCAGCAAGT TTATTGAGAG 4500

CTTTTTTTTAC TTGA (SEQ ID NO:1) 4514

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FIG. 1a  
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SGKEPANRFS WAKNKLLING FIATLAATIL FFAVQFIGLK PDYPGKTYFI 50  
ILLTAWTLMA LVTALVGWDN RYGSFSLI LLFQLGSSAG TYPIELSPKF 100  
FQTIQPFLPM TYSVSGLRER ISLTGDVNHQ WRMLVIFLVS SMILALLIYR 150  
KQED (SEQ ID NO:2) 154

FIG. 1b

MSTLTIIIIAT LTALEHFYIM YLETLATQSN MTGKIFSMSK EELSYLPVIK 50  
LFKNQGVYNG LIGLFLLYGL YISQNQEIVA VFLINVLLVA IYGALTVDKK 100  
ILLKQGGLPI LALLTFLF (SEQ ID NO:3) 118

FIG. 1c

MTENWLHTKD GSDIYYRVVG QGQPIVFLHG NSLSSRYFDK QIAYFSKYYQ 50  
VIVMDSRGHG KSHAKLNTIS FRQIAVDLKD ILVHLEIDKV ILVGHS DGAN 100  
LALVFQTMFP GMVRGLLLNS GNLTIHGQRW WDILLVRIAY KFLHYLGKLF 150  
PYMRQKAQVI SLMLEDLKIS PADLQHVSTP VMVLVG NKDI IKLNHSSKLA 200  
SYFPRGEFYS LVGFGHHIHK QDSHFVNIIA KKFINDTLKG EIVEKAN 247  
(SEQ ID NO:4)

FIG. 1d

MIHLKRTISV	EQLKSVFGQL	SPMNLFLIIL	VGVI AVLPTT	GYDFVLNGLL	50
RTDKSKRYIL	QTSWCINTFN	NLSGFGGLID	IGLRMAFYGK	KGQEKSDLRE	100
VTRFLPYLIS	GLSFISVIAL	IMSHIFHAKA	SVDYYYLVLI	GASMYFPVIY	150
WISGHKGSY	FGDMPSSTRI	KLGVVSFFEW	GCAAAAFIII	GYLMGIHLPV	200
YKILPLFCIG	CAVGIVSLIP	GGLGSFELVL	FTGFAAEGLP	KETVVAVLLL	250
YRLAYYIIPF	FAGIYFFIHY	LGSQINQRYE	NVPKELVSTV	LQTMVSHLMR	300
ILGAFLIFST	AFFENITYIM	WLQKLGLDPL	QEOMLWQFPG	LLLGVCFILL	350
ARTIDQKVKN	AFPIAIIWIT	LTLFYLNLGH	ISWRLSFWFI	LLLLGLLVIK	400
PTLYKKQFIY	SWEERIKDGI	IIVSLMGVLF	YIAGLLFPIR	AHITGGSIER	450
LHYIIAWEPI	ALATLILTLV	YLCLVKILQG	KSCQIGDVFN	VDRYKLLQA	500
YGGSSDSGLA	FLNDKRLYWY	QKNGEDCVAF	QFVIVNNKCL	IMGEPAGDDT	550
YIREAIESFI	DDADKLDYDL	VFYSIGQKLT	LLLHEYGFDF	MKVGEDALVN	600
LETFTLKGNK	YKPFERNALNR	VEKDGFYFEV	VQSPHSQELL	NSLEEISNTW	650
LEGRPEKGFS	LGYFNKDYFQ	QAPIALVKNA	EHEVVAFANI	MPNYEKSIIS	700
IDLMRHDKQK	IPNGVMDFLF	LSLFSYYQEK	GYHYFDLGMA	PLSGVGRVET	750
SFAKERMAYL	VYHFGSHFYS	FNGLHKYKKK	FTPLWSERYI	SCSRSSWLIC	800
AICALLMEDS	KIKIVK	(SEQ ID NO:5)			816

FIG. 1e

MRILGAFLIF	STAFFENITY	IMWLQKLGLD	PLQEOMLWQF	PGLLLGVCFI	50
LLARTIDQKV	KNAFPIAIW	ITLTLFYLN	GHISWRLSFW	FILLLLGLLV	100
IKPTLYKKQF	IYSWEERIKD	GIIIVSLMGV	LFYIAGLLFP	IRAHITGGS	150
ERLHYIIAWE	PIALATLILT	LVYLCLVKIL	QGKSCQIGDV	FNVDRYKLL	200
QAYGGSSDSG	LAFLNDKRLY	WYQKNGEDCV	AFQFVIVNNK	CLIMGEPAGD	250
DTYIREAIES	FIDDADKLDY	DLVFYSIGQK	LTLLLHEYGF	DFMKVGEDAL	300
VNLETFTLKG	NKYKPFERNAL	NRVEKDGFYF	EVVQSPHSQE	LLNSLEEISN	350
TWLEGRPEKG	FSLGYFNKDY	FQQAPIALVK	NAEHEVVAFA	NIMPNYEKSI	400
ISIDLMRHDK	QKIPNGVMDF	LFLSLFSYYQ	EKGHYFDLG	MAPLSGVGRV	450
ETSFAKERMA	YLVYHFGSHF	YSFNGLHKYK	KKFTPLWSER	YISCSRSSWL	500
ICAICALLME	DSKIKIVK	(SEQ ID NO:6)			518

FIG. 1f

AATTTTGATA TCGAAACAAC AACTTTTGAG GCAATGAAAA AGCACGCGTC ATTATTGGAG 60  
 N F D I E T T T F E A M K K H A S L L E  
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 K I S V E R S F I E F D K L L L A P Y W  
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 R K G M L A L I D S H A F N Y L P C L K  
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 N R E L Q L S A F L S Q L D K D F L F E  
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 F L K K W K T S T H F Q K D V E H I V D  
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 V Y R I R E Q M G L A K E H L Y R Y G K  
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 T I I K Q A E G I R K A R G L M V D F E  
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 K I E Q L D S E L A I H D R H E I V V N  
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 G G T L I K K L G I K P G P Q M G D I I  
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 V T L G K I L V D G V D V R D Y N L K S  
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 E G G S N L S G G Q K Q R L S I A R A V  
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 V K D P D L Y I F D D S F S A L D Y K T  
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 D A T L R A R L K E V T G D S T V L I V  
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 A Q R V G T I M D A D Q I I V L D E G E  
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 I V G R G T H A Q L I E N N A I Y R E I  
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 A E S Q L K N Q N L S E G E M R K K  
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ATCTGTTTTT	TTGAGATTAT	GGTCTTACCT	AACTCGCTAC	AAAGCTACTC	TTTTCTTAGC	4920
S V F	L R L W	S Y L	T R Y	K A T L	F L A	
GATTTTTTTG	AAAGTTTTAT	CTAGTTTTAT	GAGTGTCTG	GAGCCTTTTA	TTTTAGGGTT	4980
I F L	K V L S	S F M	S V L	E P F I	L G L	
AGCGATAACA	GAGTTGACTG	CTAACCTTGT	TGATATGGCT	AAGGGAGTTT	CTGGGGCAGA	5040
A I T	E L T A	N L V	D M A	K G V S	G A E	
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L N V	P Y I A	G I L	I I Y	F F R G	V F Y	
TGAATTAGGT	TCTTATGGCT	CAAATT	(SEQ ID NO:7)			5126
E L G	S Y G S	N				

FIG. 2a

NFDIETTTFE	AMKKHASLLE	KISVERSFIE	FDKLLLAPYW	RKGMLALIDS	50
HAFNYLPCLK	NRELQLSAFL	SQLDKDFLFE	TSEQAWASLI	LSMEVEHTKT	100
FLKKWKTSTH	FQKDVEHIVD	VYRIREQMGL	AKEHLYRYGK	TIKQAEGR	150
KARGLMVDFE	KIEQLDSELA	IHDRHEIVVN	GGTLIKKLG	KPGPQMGDII	200
SQIELAIVLG	QLINEEEAIL	HFVKQYLM	(SEQ ID NO:8)		229

FIG. 2b

MSDFLVDGLT	KSVGDKTVFS	NVSFIIHSLD	RIGIIGVNGT	GKTTLLDVIS	50
GELGFDGDRS	PFSSANDYKI	AYLKQEPDFD	DSQTILDTVL	SSDLREMAI	100
KEYELLLNHY	EESKQSRLEK	VMAEMDSLDA	WSIESEVKT	LSKLGITDLO	150
LSVGELSGGL	RRRVQLAQVL	LNDADLLLLD	EPTNHLDDIT	IAWLTNFLKN	200
SKKTVLFITH	DRYFLDNVAT	RIFELDKAQI	TEYQGNQDY	VRLRAEQDER	250
DAASLHKKKQ	LYKQELAWMR	TQPQARATKQ	QARINRFQNL	KNDLHQTSDT	300
SDLEMTFETS	RIGKKVINFE	NVSFSYPDKS	ILKDFNLLIQ	NKDRIGIVGD	350
NGVGKSTLLN	LIVQDLQPDS	GNVSIGETIR	VGYFSQQLHN	MDGSKRVINY	400
LQEVADDEVKT	SVGTTSVTEL	LEQFLFPRST	HGTQIAKLSG	GEKKRLLYLLK	450
ILIEKPNVLL	LDEPTNDLDI	ATLTVLENFL	QGFGGPVITV	SHDRYFLDKV	500
ANKIIAFEDN	DIREFFGNYT	DYLDEKAFNE	QNEVISKKE	STKTSREKQS	550
RKRMSYFEKQ	EWATIEDDIM	ILENTITRIE	NDMQTCGSDF	TRLSDLQKEL	600
DAKNEALLEK	YDRYEYLSL	DT	(SEQ ID NO:9)		622

FIG. 2c

MIIRPIIKND	DQAVAQLIRQ	SLRAYDLDP	DTAYSDPHLD	HLTSYYEKIE	50
KSGFFVIEER	DEIIGCGGFG	PLKNLIAEMQ	KVYIAERFRG	KGLATDLVKM	100
IEVEARKIGY	RQLYLETAST	LSRATAVYKH	MGYCALSQPI	ANDQGHAMT	150
IWMIKDL	(SEQ ID NO:10)				157

FIG. 2d

MAYIWSYLKR	YPNWLWLDLL	GAMLFVTVIL	GMPTALAGMI	DNGVTKGDRT	50
GVYLWTFIMF	IFVVLGIIGR	ITMAYASSRL	TTTMIRDMRN	DMYAKLQEYS	100
HHEYEQIGVS	SLVTRMTSDT	FVLMQFAEMS	LRLGLVTPMV	MIFSVVMILI	150
TSPSLAWLVA	VAMPLLVGTV	LYVAIKTKPL	SERQQTMLDK	INQYVRENLT	200
GLRVVRAFAR	ENFQSQKFQV	ANQRYTDTST	GLFKLTGLTE	PLFVQIIIAM	250
IVAIVWFALD	PLQGAIKIG	DLVAFIEYSF	HALFSFLLFA	NLFTMYPRMV	300
VSSHIREVM	DMPISINPNA	EGVTDTKLKG	HLEFDNVTFA	YPGETESPVL	350
HDISFKAKPG	ETIAFIGSTG	SGKSSLVNLI	PRFYDVTLGK	ILVDGVDVRD	400
YNLKSLRQKI	GFIPQKALLF	TGTIGENLKY	GKADATIDDL	RQAVDISQAK	450
EFIESHQEAF	ETHLAEGGSN	LSGGQKQRLS	IARAVVKDPD	LYIFDDSFSA	500
LDYKTDATLR	ARLKEVTGDS	TVLIVAQRVG	TIMDADQIIV	LDEGEIVGRG	550
THAQLIENNA	IYREIAESQL	KNQNLSEGE	(SEQ ID NO:11)		579

FIG. 2e

MRKKSFLRL	WSYLTRYKAT	LFLAIFLKV	SSFMSVLEPF	ILGLAITELT	50
ANLVDMAKGV	SGAELNVPYI	AGILIIYFFR	GVFYELGSYG	SN	92

(SEQ ID NO:12)

FIG. 2f

AATTTGGAAG TGCTCTATCA ACAGTTGAAG TAAAGGAGAT TATTAGTGAA GAAAACATAT 60  
 F G S A L S T V E V K E I I S E E N I W  
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 GGTATATCG GCTCAGTTGC TGCCATTTTA CTAGCTACTC ATATTGGAAG TTACCAACTT 120  
 L Y R L S C C H F T S Y S Y W K L P T W  
 GGTAAGCATC ATATGGGTCT AGCAACAAAG GACAATCAGA TTGCCTATAT TGATGACAGC 180  
 M G L A T K D N Q I A Y I D D S  
 |----->  
 AAAGGTAAGG CAAAAGCCCC TAAACAAAC AAAACGATGG ATCAAATCAG TGCTGAAGAA 240  
 K G K A K A P K T N K T M D Q I S A E E  
 GGCATCTCTG CTGAACAGAT CGTAGTCAAA ATTACTGACC AAGGCTATGT GACCTCACAC 300  
 G I S A E Q I V V K I T D Q G Y V T S H  
 GGTGACCATT ATCATTTTTTA CAATGGGAAA GTTCCTTATG ATGCGATTAT TAGTGAAGAG 360  
 G D H Y H F Y N G K V P Y D A I I S E E  
 TTGTTGATGA CGGATCCTAA TTACCGTTTT AAACAATCAG ACGTTATCAA TGAAATCTTA 420  
 L L M T D P N Y R F K Q S D V I N E I L  
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 GACGGTTACG TTATTAAAGT CAATGGCAAC TATTATGTTT ACCTCAAGCC AGGTAGTAAG 480  
 D G Y V I K V N G N Y Y V Y L K P G S K  
 CGCAAAAACA TTCGAACCAA ACAACAAATT GCTGAGCAAG TAGCCAAAGG AACTAAAGAA 540  
 R K N I R T K Q Q I A E Q V A K G T K E  
 GCTAAAGAAA AAGGTTTAGC TCAAGTGGCC CATCTCAGTA AAGAAGAAGT TGCGGCAGTC 600  
 A K E K G L A Q V A H L S K E E V A A V  
 AATGAAGCAA AAAGACAAGG ACGCTATACT ACAGACGATG GCTATATTTT TAGTCCGACA 660  
 N E A K R Q G R Y T T D D G Y I F S P T  
 GATATCATTG ATGATTTAGG AGATGCTTAT TTAGTACCTC ATGGTAATCA CTATCATTAT 720  
 D I I D D L G D A Y L V P H G N H Y H Y  
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 I P K K D L S P S E L A A A Q A Y W S Q  
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 K Q G R G A R P S D Y R P T P A P G R R  
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 G Y H P A P P R P N D A S Q N K H Q R D  
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 E F K G K T F K E L L D Q L H R L D L K  
 TACCGTCATG TGGAAGAAGA TGGGTTGATT TTTGAACCGA CTCAAGTGAT CAAATCAAAC 1080  
 Y R H V E E D G L I F E P T Q V I K S N  
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 A F G Y V V P H G D H Y H I I P R S Q L  
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 S P L E M E L A D R Y L A G Q T E D N D  
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 V F S K E S I H S V D K S G V T A K H G  
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 Q Q P S E A S K E E K E S D D F I D S L  
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 P D Y G L D R A T L E D H I N Q L A Q K  
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 A N I D P K Y L I F Q P E G V Q F Y N K

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 CAGAAAACCTG TGTTATTTTA TTGCGTTAAA ATAATTTTCT TCTTTCTGAT TAGGGGTTAG 2760  
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 G L N A T H P N Y N N Y F N E I Y E F C  
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 Y K F F A E T V A N D Y P Y G P N S F S  
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 H G D R S L K N D T L Y Y A K G L N P V  
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 T N V T L G H I K K L L R T I T R Y G Y  
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 I F H N E M  
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 I S K R I L G R Y K K L L D V Q L Q L Q  
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 E V E S L H E L G K G Y T Y Q K G V G Q  
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 H F R Y L E E N E Y W K M W T Y I Q S N  
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 I C A L K T E W S Y A K K V M  
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 GCCTATTGTT GTCATCAATT ATTTTCTAA ATTCCCCGA CTAAATTGT GACCCTTGGT 4260  
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 L A L E E L L Q F T E Q Y V F E I K F A  
 ACGATACGTA CTTTCAGCTA CGGCATTGTC ATAAGGATAA CCAGCCTGAC TAAGCGAACG 4560  
 R Y T S E A V A N D Y P Y G A Q S L S R  
 TGTGATTCCA AAGGCTTCCA ATATTTTCATC AATTAAGTGA TTATCAAAT CTTTGCCACG 4620  
 T I G F A E L I E D I L Q N D F E K G R  
 ATCTGAATGG AACATCTTGA CTTTGGTCAG GGCGTAAGGG ATGCTTTGTA TGGCTTGCTT 4680  
 D S H F M K V K T L A Y P I S Q I A Q K  
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 V L E A T K H W G L S L G I I E R N Y L  
 GTCAATGATG AGGCAAACAT AAGCCCAACG ATTGCCTACA CGAACATAGG TTAAGTCAGT 4800  
 D I I L C V Y A W R N G V R V Y T L D T  
 GACTAAGGCT TGTAGTGGTC TTTCTTGCTT AAATTGCCTG TCTAAGTGGT TGGGAATAGG 4860  
 V L A Q L P R E Q K F Q R D L H N P I P  
 GGCTTCATTC TTGCCTCTAG AATGTGGTTT GAAGGTGGCT TTCTGATAAA CAGAAACCAA 4920  
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 N L R K M I R R I R R R S L T I G E N N  
 CAAGCATATT TTGATTTTTC TGGATCCGTA TCTAGACTCG CTATCGAGAA AAATTCTTTT 5040  
 L C I K I K R S G Y R S E S D L F I R K



AATAGTTTCT TCAAACCTCCG TTTCAGATAC TGACTCCACG GCTTGATAGT AATAACTTGA 5100  
 I T E E F E T E S V S E V A Q Y Y Y S S  
 GTGTGGCATA TTCAGCCAGC GACACATCTT TGAAATGCTG TATTTATCCT TATTAGCAGT 5160  
 H P M N L W R C M K S I S Y K D K N A T  
 GATTATTTCC CTTTTGTGC CATAATCACC GCTGCTTGCT TTAGGATATC TAATT 5215  
 I I E R K T G Y D G S S A K P Y R I  
 (SEQ ID NO:13) <----|

FIG. 3a

FGSALSTVEV KEIISEENIW LYRLSCCHFT SYSYWKLPW 40  
 (SEQ ID NO:14)

FIG. 3b

MGLATKDNQI AYIDDSKGKA KAPKTNKTMD QISAEEGISA EQIVVKITDQ 50  
 GYVTSHGDHY HFYNGKVPYD AIISEELLMT DPNYRFKQSD VINEILDGYV 100  
 IKVNGNYVY LKPGSKRKNI RTKQQIAEQV AKGTKEAKEK GLAQVAHLSK 150  
 EEVAAVNEAK RQGRYTTDDG YIFSPTDIID DLGDAYLVPH GNHYHYIPKK 200  
 DLSPSELAAA QAYWSQKQGR GARPSDYRPT PAPGRRKAPI PDVTPNPGQG 250  
 HQPDNGGYHP APPRPNDASQ NKHQDEFKQ KTFKELLDQL HRLDLKYRHV 300  
 EEDGLIFEPT QVIKSNAFGY VVPHGDHYHI IPRSQLSPLE MELADRYLAG 350  
 QTEDNDGSGE HSKPSDKEVT HTFLGHRIKA YGKGLDGKPY DTSDAYVFSK 400  
 ESIHSVDKSG VTAKHGDHFFH YIGFGELEQY ELDEVANWVK AKGQADELAA 450  
 ALDQEQGKEK PLFDTKKVSR KVTKDGVKGY MMPKDGDYF YARDQLDLTQ 500  
 IAFAEQELML KDKKHRYDI VDTGIEPRLA VDVSSLPMHA GNATYDTGSS 550  
 FVIPHIDHIH VVPYSWLTRD QIATVKYVMQ HPEVRPDVWS KPGHEESGSV 600  
 IPNVTPLDKR AGMPNWQIIH SAEVQKALA EGRFATPDGY IFDPRDVLAK 650  
 ETFVWKDGSF SIPRADGSSL RTINKSDLSQ AEWQQAQELL AKKNTGDATD 700  
 TDKPKEKQQA DKSNNENQPS EASKEEKESD DFIDSLPDYG LDRATLEDHI 750  
 NQLAQKANID PKYLIFQPEG VQFYNNKNGEL VTYDIKTLQQ INP 793  
 (SEQ ID NO:15)

FIG. 3c

MTDPNYRFBKQ	SDVINEILDG	YVIKVNNGYY	VYLKPGSKRK	NIRTKQQIAE	50
QVAKGTKEAK	EKGLAQVAHL	SKEEVAAVNE	AKRQGRYTTD	DGYIFSPTDI	100
IDDLGDAYLV	PHGNHYHYIP	KKDLSPSELA	AAQAYWSQKQ	GRGARPSDYR	150
PTPAPGRRKA	PIPDVTFNPG	QGHQPDNGGY	HPAPPRPND	SONKHQRDEF	200
KGKTFKELLD	QLHRLDLKYR	HVEEDGLIFE	PTQVIKSNF	GYVVPBGDHY	250
HIIPRSQSP	LEMELADRYL	AGQTEDNDG	SEHSKPSDKE	VTHTFLGHRI	300
KAYGKGLDGK	PYDTSDAYVF	SKESIHSVDK	SGVTAKHGDH	FHYIGFGELE	350
QYELDEVANW	VKAKGQADEL	AAALDQEQGK	EKPLFDTKKV	SRKVTKDGKV	400
GYMMPKDGKD	YFYARDQLDL	TQIAFAEQEL	MLKDKKHRYR	DIVDTGIEPR	450
LAVDVSSLPM	HAGNATYDTG	SSFVIPHIDH	IHVVPYSWLT	RDQIATVKYV	500
MQHPEVRPDV	WSKPGHEESG	SVIPNVTPLD	KRAGMPNWQI	IHSAEEVQKA	550
LAEGRFATPD	GYIFDPRDVL	AKETFWKDG	SFSIPRADGS	SLRTINKSDL	600
SQAEWQQAQE	LLAKKNTGDA	TDTDKPKEKQ	QADKSNENQQ	PSEASKEEKE	650
SDDFIDSLPD	YGLDRATLED	HINQLAQKAN	IDPKYLIFQP	EGVQFYNNKG	700
ELVTYDIKTL	QQINP	(SEQ ID NO:16)			715

FIG. 3d

MHSFSNPGYP	YDNAVTEAFF	KYLKHRQINR	KHYQNIQVQ	LDCFYIENF	50
YNNYNPHTAN	LGLTPNQKEE	NYFNAIK	(SEQ ID NO:17)		77

FIG. 3e

MAYYQACTEK	DIIRMSRKG	TPADNACIEW	FHTVLKTETF	YFHNRRKYNK	50
DSITNIVKNY	ITFYNETRIQ	QRLNDQSPVQ	YRKLIA	(SEQ ID NO:18)	86

FIG. 3f

MENHFIYGYR	TITRLLKKIH	GLTVNTKKVY	RIMKNNGWLC	RTRTKKVPNL	50
GKAYYLTDNK	LSRDFHADKP	KEKLVTDITY	LYFGNCKLYL	SSIMNLYNRE	100
IIAYTISDCQ	DTDFVLDTLN	QLKLPK	(SEQ ID NO:19)		126

FIG. 3g

MVKKAYSWET KLACIDMKKA GKSNRVIMET LGIKNNsqiy TWMKwyeneE 50  
 LYRFHQGVGK QYTYGKGLEH LSEVEQLQLQ VDLLKKYRGL IRKSIK 96  
 (SEQ ID NO:20)

FIG. 3h

IRYPKASSGD YGTKREIITA NKDKYSISKM CRWLNMPHSS YYYQAVESVS 50  
 ETEFEETIKR IFLDSEsryG SRKIKICLNN EGITLSRRRI RRIMKRLNLV 100  
 SVYQKATFKP HSRGKNEAPI PNHLDRQFKQ ERPLQALVTD LTYVRVGNRW 150  
 AYVCLIIDLY NREIIGLSLG WHKTAELVKQ AIQSIPYALT KVKMFHSDRG 200  
 KEFDNQLIDE ILEAFGITRS LSQAGYPYDN AVAESTYRAF KIEFVYQETF 250  
 QLLEELALKT KDYVHWWNYH RIHGSLNYQT PMTKRLIA (SEQ ID NO:21) 288

FIG. 3i

AATTGAAAG CAGAATTATC TGTAGAAGAT GAGCAATATA CAGCAACAGT TTATGGTAAA 60  
 N L K A E L S V E D E Q Y T A T V Y G K  
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 TCTGCTCATG GTTCAACACC ACAAGAAGGT GTTAATGGGG CGACTTATTT AGCTCTTTAT 120  
 S A H G S T P Q E G V N G A T Y L A L Y  
 CTAAGTCAAT TTGATTTTGA AGGTCCTGCT CGTGCTTTCT TAGATGTTAC AGCCAACATT 180  
 L S Q F D F E G P A R A F L D V T A N I  
 ATTCACGAAG ACTTCTCAGG TGAAAACTT GGAGTAGCTT ATGAAGATGA CTGTATGGGA 240  
 I H E D F S G E K L G V A Y E D D C M G  
 CCATTGAGCA TGAATGCAGG TGTCTTCCAG TTTGATGAAA CTAATGATGA TAATACTATC 300  
 P L S M N A G V F Q F D E T N D D N T I  
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 A L N F R Y P Q G T D A K T I Q T K L E  
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 K L N G V E K V T L S D H E H T P H Y V  
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 P M D D E L V S T L L A V Y E K Q T G L  
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 A Y G A M F P G D E N T M H Q A N E Y M  
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 F Y Y P G K G K S G D L P P R K G F A E  
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 K W H P L I L K E M P N V Q L T L L V G  
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 M R D N H L H  
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 E F I T T E H F D L S N P Y T G Q D D V  
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 L K N K E F D L K L L S I H H N G R Y D  
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 S T N L K D D I N S N S E T V V T P S D  
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 T D A K K D D Y G Y Y V D F K L S E K Q  
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 Q I S D I T L D T S K S L L I I K G D F  
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 S I K Y L T S E F K V D G F R F D M M G  
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 V I A K S I .

FIG. 4a

NLKAELSVED EQYTATVYGK SAHGSTPQEG VNGATYLALY LSQDFDEGPA 50  
 RAFLDVTANI IHEDFSGEKL GVAYEDDCMG PLSMNAGVFQ FDETNDNTI 100  
 ALNFRYPQGT DAKTIQTKLE KLNGVEKVTL SDHEHTPHYV PMDDELVSTL 150  
 LAVYEKQTGL KGHEQVIGGG TFGRLLERGV AYGAMFPGDE NTMHQANEYM 200  
 PLENIFRSAA IYAEAIYELI K (SEQ ID NO:23) 221

FIG. 4b

MTDLEKIIKA IKSDSQNQNY TENGIDPLFA APKTARINIV GQAPGLKTQE 50  
 ARLYWKDKSG DRLRQWLGV D EETFYHSGKF AVLPLDFYYP GKGKSGDLPP 100  
 RKGFAEKWHP LILKEMPNVQ LTLLVGQYAO KYYLGS SAHK NLTETVKAYK 150  
 DYLPDYLPV HPSPRNQIWL KKNPWFEKDL IVDLQKIVAD ILKD 194  
 (SEQ ID NO:24)

FIG. 4c

MRDNHLHTYF SYDCQTAFED YINGFTGEFI TTEHFDLSNP YTGQDDVDPY	50
SAYCQKIDYL NQKYGNRFKK GIEIGYFKDR ESDILDYLN KEFDLKLLSI	100
HHNGRYDYLQ EEALKVPTKG AFSRL (SEQ ID NO:25)	126

FIG. 4d

MKRKDLFGDK QTQYTIRKLS VGVASVTTGV CIFLHSPQVF AEEVSVSPAT	50
TAIAESNINQ VDNQQSTNLK DDINSNSETV VTPSDMPDTK QLVSDETDQ	100
KGVTEPDKAT SLLEENKGPV SDKNTLDLKV APSTLQNTPD KTSQAIGAPS	150
PTLKVANQAP RIENGYFRLH LKELPQGHPV ESTGLWIWGD VDQPSNWP	200
GAIPMTDAKK DDYGYVDFK LSEKQRKQIS FLINNKGAGTN LSGDHHIPLL	250
RPENMQVWID EKYGIHTYQP LKEGYVRINY LSSSSNYDHL SAWLFKDVAT	300
PSTTWPDSN FVNQGLYGRY IDVSLKTNK EIGFLILDES KTGDVAVKVP	350
NDYVFRDLAN HNQIFVKDKD PKVYNNPYI DQVQLKDAQ IDLTSIQASF	400
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EIKRGKDKVK ILDPYAKSLA EWDSNTVND IKTAKAAFVN PSQLGPNLS	600
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QKLGVTIQL LPVLSYFYVN EMDKSRSTAY TSSDNNYNWG YDPQSYFALS	700
GMYSEKPKDP SARIAELKQL IHDIHKGGMG VILDVVYNHT AKTYLFEDIE	750
PNYYHFMNED GSPRESFGGG RLGTTTHAMSR RVLVDSIKYL TSEFKVDGFR	800
FDMMGDHDA AIELAYKEAK AINPNMIMIG EGWRTFQGDQ GQPVKPADQD	850
WMKSTDTVGV FSDDIRNSLK SGFPNEGTPA FITGGPQSLQ GIFKNIKAQP	900
GNFEADSPGD VVQYIAAHN LTLHDVIAKS I (SEQ ID NO:26)	931

FIG. 4e



AATTCAAAGT TTGACAGAAG GTCAACTTCG TTCTGATATC CCTGAGTTCC GTGCTGGTGA 60  
 I Q S L T E G Q L R S D I P E F R A G D  
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 . H I Y C S G  
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FIG. 5a

IQSLTEGQLR SDIPEFRAGD TVRVHAKVVE GTRERIQIFE GVVISRKGQG 50  
 ISEMYTVRKI SGGIGVERTF PIHTPRVDKI EVVRYGKVRR AKLYYLRLAQ 100  
 GKAARIKEIR R (SEQ ID NO:28) 111

FIG. 5b

MRFAECLGLT VNDIDYTNKY LSINKTWDYH FNQRYLPTKN KSSIRNIPID 50  
 NDTLFFLHEF TKNKNDRLFD KLSNNAVNKT IRKITGREVR VHSLRHTFAS 100  
 YLISISQVLD HENLNITLEV YAHQLQEOKD RNDKLNQRNL GQNSSKPLFT 150  
 CNEYVPCRNR TSNYSLGGSC YIH (SEQ ID NO:29) 173

FIG. 5c

MKSSNEIEKA LYESSNSSIS ITKKDGKYFN INQFKNIEKI KEVEEKIFQY 50  
 DGLAKLKDLDK VVSGEQSINR EDLSDEFKNV VSLEATSNTK RNLLFSSGVF 100  
 SFKEGKNIEE NDKNSILVHE EFAKQNKLLK GDEIDLELLD TEKSGKIKSH 150  
 KFKIIGIFSG KKQETYTGSL SDFS ENMV FV DYSTSQEILN KSENNRIANK 200  
 ILMYSGSLES TELALNKLKD FKIDKSKYSI KKDKNKAFES LESVSGIKHI 250  
 IKIMTYSIML GGIVVLSLIL ILWLRERIYE IGIFLSIGTT KIQIIRQFIF 300  
 ELIFISIPSI ISSLFLGNLL LKVIVEGFIN SENSMIFGGS LINKSSFMLN 350  
 ITTLAESYLI LISIIVLSVV MASSLILFKK PQEILSKIS 389  
 (SEQ ID NO:30)

FIG. 5d

MDILEIKNVN YSYANSKEKV LSGVNQKFEL GKFYAIVGKS GTGKSTLLSL 50  
 LAGLDKVQTG KILFKNEDIE KKGYSNHRKN NISLVFQNYN LIDYLSPIEN 100  
 IRLVNKSVDE SILFELGLDK KQIKRNVMKL SGGQQQORVAI ARALVSDAPI 150  
 ILADEPTGNL DSVTAGEII (SEQ ID NO:31) 169

FIG. 5e

CATATGACAA	TATTTTTC	AA	AGTCTACATC	ACTTACTCGC	CTGTCGTGGA	AAATCTGGCA	60
ATACATTAAT	CGACCAATTA	GTTGCTGATG	GTTTACTTCA	TGCAGATAAT	CACTACCATT		120
TTTTCAATGG	GAAGTCTCTG	GCCACTTTCA	ATACTAACCA	ATTGATTTCG	GAAGTTGTCT		180
ATGTTGAAAT	ATCCTTAGAT	ACTATGTCTA	GTGGTGAACA	TGATTTAGTA	AAAGTTAACA		240
TTATCAGACC	CACTACCGAG	CATACTATCC	CCACGATGAT	GACAGCTAGC	CCCTATCATC		300
AAGGTATCAA	TGATCCTGCC	GCAGACCAAA	AAACATACCA	AATGGAGGGT	GCGCTAGCAG		360
TTAAACAGCC	TAAACACATA	CAAGTTGACA	CAAAACCATT	TAAAGAAGAA	GTAAACATC		420
CTTCAAAATT	ACCCATCAGC	CCTGCAACTG	AAAGCTTCAC	ACACATTGAC	AGTTATAGTC		480
TCAATGACTA	TTTTCTTTCT	CGTGGTTTTG	CTAATATATA	CGTTTCAGGT	GTGGGTACTG		540
CTGGCTCTAC	GGGTTTCATG	ACCAGTGGGG	ATTACCAACA	AATACAAAGC	TTTAAAGCAG		600
TCATTGATTG	GTTAAATGGT	AAGGTTACTG	CATTACAAG	TCATAAACGA	GATAACAAG		660
TCAAGGCTGA	TTGGTCAAAC	GGCCTTG TAG	CAACCACAGG	TAAATCTTAT	CTCGGTACCA		720
TGTCAACTGG	TTTAGCAACA	ACTGGCGTTG	AGGGGCTGAA	AGTCATTATC	GCTGAAGCCG		780
CAATCTCCAC	ATGGTATGAT	TATTATCGAG	AAAATGGGCT	TGTGTGTAGT	CCAGGCGGCT		840
ACCCCGGTGA	AGATTTAGAC	GTTTTAACAG	AATTAACATA	CTCACGAAAC	CTCTTAGCTG		900
GTGATTACAT	CAAAAACAAC	GATTGCTATC	AAGCATTGTT	AAATGAACAA	TCAAAAGCAA		960
TTGACCGTCA	AAGTGGGGAT	TACAACCAAT	ACTGGCATGA	CCGTAATTAC	CTAACTCAG		1020
TCAATAATGT	CAAAAGTCGA	G TAGTTTACA	CTCATGGACT	ACAGGATTGG	AATGTTAAGC		1080
CAAGACATGT	CTACAAAGTT	TTCAATGCAT	TGCCTCAAAC	CATCAAAAAA	CACCTTTTTT		1140
TACATCAAGG	TCAACATGTG	TATATGCATA	ATTGGCAGTC	GATTGATTTT	CGTGAAAGCA		1200
TGAATGCCTT	ACTAAGCCAA	GAAGTACTTG	GCATTGACAA	TCATTTCCAA	TTAGAAGAGG		1260
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ACCATCAAGA	GCAAATTGGT	TTAGGTGATA	GTAAAAAACT	TATTGATAAC	CATTATGACA		1380
AAGAAGCCTT	TGATACTTAT	TGTAAAGACT	TCAATGTGTT	CAAAAATGAT	CTTTTCAAGG		1440
GAAATAATAA	AACCAATCAA	ATCACTATTA	ATCTTCCTCT	AAAGAAAAAT	TATCTCCTGA		1500
ATGGACAGTG	CAAACTCCAT	CTACGTGTTA	AAACTAGTGA	CAAAAAGGCC	ATTTTATCAG		1560
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TAAACAGCCT	TGATAATGGT	AAAAATTTTG	CCAGAGAAGC	TTTACGTGAA	CTCCCGTTTA		1680
CTAAAGATCA	TTATCGTGTC	ATCAGTAAAG	GTGTCTTGAA	CCTTCAAAAT	CGTACAGACT		1740
TACTTACAAT	TGAGGCTATC	GAGCCAGAAC	AATGGTTTGA	TATCGAGTTT	AGCCTCCAAC		1800
CAAGTATATA	TCAATTGAGT	AAAGGTGATA	ATCTAAGGAT	TATCCTTTAT	ACAAGTATT		1860
TTGAACATAC	CATTCGAGAT	AATGCTAGTT	ACTCTATAAC	AGTAGATTTG	AGTCAATCTT		1920
ATTTAACTAT	CCCAACTAAT	CAAGGAAATT	AAC TTATGAA	ACTTCTTACT	AAAGAACGGT		1980
TTGATGATTC	TCAACACTTT	TGGTACCAGA	TCAATTTATT	ACAAGAGAGT	AACTTCGGAG		2040
CAGTTTTTGA	CCATGATAAT	AAAAACATTC	CACAGGTTGT	TGCAACTATT	GTTGATGATT		2100
TACAAGGTTC	CGGAAGTTTC	AATCATTTCT	GGTATTTTGG	CAATACTACT	GATACTCCA		2160
TCCTTATGAT	TGCTCATTTA	AATCGAAAAAT	TCTATATTCA	GGTTAATTTA	AAGGACTTTG		2220
ACTTTGCACT	CAATTTAATA	GCTATAAATA	ATTGGAAGAG	TCTCCTCCAA	ACTCAACTTG		2280
AAGCTCTAAA	CGATACCCTA	GCAATATTTT	AATAAATAAG	G TAGAATGGA	GTGACAAAGC		2340
AACGCGAGGG	AGACTGATTA	ATGTCATCTT	ATTGGAATAA	CTATCCTGAA	CTTAAAAAAA		2400

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TTGCTTATCT CGTCGTTTCC CATAGAGGTG TTGACAAAGC TCGCCATCTA GCTCGTAAAT 3240  
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TGCTACAATT AACTAATTAC CTTTAAAAAC GCAAAATTTA AATAATAAAA AAACATTCCA 3360  
CAATGCTAGA AAAGCAGTTA GGAATGTTT TTTTATTATC ATTTATTTAT CGCACCTATC 3420  
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GACAATTCTT GAGGAGAACC TTCCAACCTCT AATTGCCCAT TTTCTATAAA TAAGATACGA 3540  
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TCATCTAAGA TAACAATTGG GACATCTTTT AGTAAGATTC TAGCCAAAGC AATTCTATGC 3720  
CTTTCGCCAC CTGAAAACCT AAGTCCAGCT TCATCAACCA TTGTATAGAG ACCATCTGAT 3780  
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GCTTGTTGTA TCACTCCAAT ATAGTTAGAA ATGCAATCAC CAACTATTGA AACATCAGCA 3960  
CCGCCTAGGG TAATCTTCCC TTGACTTGCT TTCAAGTCGC CACGAAGTAG ACTAGCTAAG 4020  
GTACTCTTGC CAGAACCACT CCGCCCTAAA ATAGCAATTT TTTCTCCTT TTTAATATCC 4080  
AAATCTAAAT GATGCAAAAC CCATTTCTCT TGTGGCTTAT ACTGGAACT TAAATCTTG 4140  
ACGGAAAAAT CATATGGCTT ATTAGGCAAT T (SEQ ID NO:32) 4171

FIG. 6a

YDNIFQSLHH	LLACRGKSGN	TLIDQLVADG	LLHADNHYHF	FNGKSLATFN	50
TNQLIREVVY	VEISLDTMSS	GEHDLVKVNI	IRPTTEHTIP	TMMTASPYHQ	100
GINDPAADQK	TYQMEGALAV	KQPKHIQVDT	KPFKEEVKHP	SKLPISPATE	150
SFTHIDSYSL	NDYFLSRGFA	NIYVSGVGTA	GSTGFMTSGD	YQQIQSFKAV	200
IDWLNGKVTA	FTSHKRDQV	KADWSNGLVA	TTGKSYLGTM	STGLATTGVE	250
GLKVIIAEAA	ISTWYDYYRE	NGLVCSPGGY	PGEDLDVLTE	LTYSRNLLAG	300
DYIKNNDCYQ	ALLNEQSKAI	DRQSGDYNQY	WHDRNYLTHV	NNVKSRVYVT	350
HGLQDWNVKP	RHVYKVFNAL	PQTIKKHLEL	HQQQHVMYHN	WQSIDFRESM	400
NALLSQELLG	IDNHFQLEEV	IWQDNTTEQT	WQVLDAFGGN	HQEQIGLGDS	450
KKLIDNHYDK	EAFDTYCKDF	NVFKNDLFKG	NNKTNQITIN	LPLKKNYLLN	500
GQCKLHLRVK	TSDDKAILS	QILDYGPCKR	FKDTPTIKFL	NSLDNGKNFA	550
REALRELPFT	KDHYRVISKG	VLNLQNRTDL	LTIEAIEPEQ	WFDIEFSLQP	600
SIYQLSKGDN	LRIILYTTDF	EHTIRDNASY	SITVDLSQSY	LTIPTNQGN	649

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FIG. 6b

MKLLTKERFD	DSQHFYQIN	LLQESNFGAV	FDHDNKNIPQ	VVATIVDDLQ	50
GSGSSNHFWY	FGNTTDSIL	MIAHLNRKFY	IQVNLKDFDF	ALNLIAINNW	100
KSLLOTQLEA	LNDTLAIFQ	(SEQ ID NO:34)			119

FIG. 6c

MSSYWNNYPE	LKKNIDETNQ	LIQERIQVRN	KDIEAALSQ	TAAGGKQLRP	50
AFFYLFSQLG	NKENQDTQQL	KKIAASLEIL	HVATLIHDDV	IDDSPLRRGN	100
MTIQSKFGKD	IAVYTGDLF	TVFFDLILES	MTDTPFMRIN	AKSMRKILMG	150
ELDOMHLRYN	QQQGIHHYLR	AISGKTAEFL	KLASKEGAYF	GGAKEVVRL	200
AGHIGFNIGM	TFQILDDILD	YTADKKTFNK	PVLEDLTQGV	YSLPLLLAIE	250
ENPDIFKPIL	DKKTDMAED	MEKIAYLVVS	HRGVDKARHL	ARKFTEKAIS	300
DINKLPQNSA	KKQLLQLTNY	LLKRKI	(SEQ ID NO:35)		326

FIG. 6d



LPNKPYDFSV KNLSFQYKPQ EKWVLHHLDL DIKEGEKIAI LGRSGSGKST 50  
LASLLRGDLK ASQGKITLGG ADVSIVGDCI SNYIGVIQQA PYLFNTTLLN 100  
NIRIGNQDAS EEDVWKVLER VGLKEMVTDL SDGLYTMVDE AGLRFSGGER 150  
HRIALARILL KDVPIVILDE PTVGLDPITE QALLRVFMKE LEGKTLVWIT 200  
HHLKGIEHAD RILFIENGQL ELEGSPQELS QSSQRYRQLK AADDGDL 247  
(SEQ ID NO:36)

FIG. 6e

AATTCTATTT	GGAGGTTTTT	CTTGAATAAA	TGGTTAGTTA	AGGCAAGTTC	CTTAGTTGTT	60
TTAGGTGGTA	TGGTTTTATC	TGCGGGTTCC	CGAGTTTTAG	CGGATACTTA	TGTCCGTCCA	120
ATTGATAATG	GTAGAATTAC	AACAGGTTTC	AATGGTTATC	CTGGACATTG	TGGGGTGGAT	180
TATGCTGTTT	CGACTGGAAC	GATTATTAGG	GCAGTGGCAG	ATGGTACTGT	GAAATTTGCA	240
GGAGCTGGAG	CCAACCTTTC	TTGGATGACA	GACTTAGCAG	GAAATTGTGT	CATGATTCAA	300
CATGCGGATG	GAATGCATAG	TGGTTACGCT	CATATGTCAC	GTGTGGTGGC	TAGGACTGGG	360
GAAAAAGTCA	AACAAGGAGA	TATCATCGGT	TACGTAGGAG	CAACTGGTAT	GGCGACGGGA	420
CCTCACCTTC	ATTTTGAATT	TTTACCAGCT	AACCCTAATT	TTCAAAATGG	TTTCCATGGA	480
CGTATCAATC	CAACGTCACT	AATTGCTAAC	GTTGCGACCT	TTAGTGGAAG	AACGCAAGCA	540
TCAGCTCCAA	GCATTAAGCC	ATTACAATCA	GCTCCTGTAC	AGAATCAATC	TAGTAAATTA	600
AAAGTGTATC	GAGTAGATGA	ATTACAAAAG	GTTAATGGTG	TTTGGTTAGT	CAAAAATAAC	660
ACCCTAACGC	CGACTGGGTT	TGATTGGAAC	GATAATGGTA	TACCAGCATC	AGAAATTGAT	720
GAGGTTGATG	CTAATGGTAA	TTTGACAGCT	GACCAGGTTT	TTCAAAAAGG	TGGTTACTTT	780
ATCTTTAATC	CTAAAACCTC	TAAGACTGTA	GAAAAACCCA	TCCAAGGAAC	AGCTGGTTTA	840
ACTTGGGCTA	AGACACGCTT	TGCTAATGGT	AGTTCAGTTT	GGCTTCGCGT	TGACAACAGT	900
CAAGAACTGC	TTTACAAATA	GTTTGAGGTA	TTGATTCATT	GTTTTAAATG	ACAGTTTTGT	960
TACTAACTAA	GTACAATTTT	TTTAAACCGT	CTGAAAATAA	TTTTATAGTC	CAGTAAAGTG	1020
TGATATTATA	GTCTCGGACT	AATAAAAAGG	AAATAGGAAT	TGAAGCAATG	AAAATGAATA	1080
AAAAGGTACT	ATTGACATCG	ACAATGGCAG	CTTCGCTATT	ATCAGTCGCA	AGTGTTCAAG	1140
CACAAGAAAC	AGATACGACG	TGGACAGCAC	GTACTGTTTC	AGAGGTAAAG	GCTGATTTGG	1200
TAAAGCAAGA	CAATAAATCA	TCATATACTG	TGAAATATGG	TGATACACTA	AGCGTTATTT	1260
CAGAAGCAAT	GTCAATTGAT	ATGAATGTCT	TAGCAAAAAT	TAATAACATT	GCAGATATCA	1320
ATCTTATTTA	TCCTGAGACA	ACACTGACAG	TAACCTACGA	TCAGAAGAGT	CATACTGCCA	1380
CTTCAATGAA	AATAGAAACA	CCAGCAACAA	ATGCTGCTGG	TCAAACAACA	GCTACTGTGG	1440
ATTTGAAAAC	CAATCAAGTT	TCTGTTGCAG	ACCAAAAAGT	TTCTCTCAAT	ACAATTTCCG	1500
AAGGTATGAC	ACCAGAAGCA	GCAACAACGA	TTGTTTCGCC	AATGAAGACA	TATTCTTCTG	1560
CGCCAGCTTT	GAAATCAAAA	GAAGTATTAG	CACAAGAGCA	AGCTGTTAGT	CAAGCAGCAG	1620
CTAATGAACA	GGTATCAACA	GCTCCTGTGA	AGTCGATTAC	TTCAGAAGTT	CCAGCAGCTA	1680
AAGAGGAAGT	TAAACCAACT	CAGACGTCAG	TCAGTCAGTC	AACAACAGTA	TCACCAGCTT	1740
CTGTTGCCGC	TGAAACACCA	GCTCCAGTAG	CTAAAGTAGC	ACCGGTAAGA	ACTGTAGCAG	1800
CCCCTAGAGT	GGCAAGTGTT	AAAGTAGTCA	CTCCTAAAAGT	AGAAACTGGT	GCATCACCAG	1860
AGCATGTATC	AGCTCCAGCA	GTTCTGTGA	CTACGACTTC	AACAGCTACA	GACAGTAAGT	1920
TACAAGCGAC	TGAAGTTAAG	AGCGTTCCGG	TAGCACAAAA	AGCTCCAACA	GCAACACCGG	1980
TAGCACAAAC	AGCTTCAACA	ACAAATGCAG	TAGCTGCACA	TCCTGAAAAT	GCAGGGCTCC	2040
AACCTCATGT	TGCAGCTTAT	AAAGAAAAAG	TAGCGTCAAC	TTATGGAGTT	AATGAATTCA	2100
GTACATACCG	TGCAGGTGAT	CCAGGTGATC	ATGGTAAAGG	TTTAGCAGTC	GACTTTATTG	2160
TAGGTAAAAA	CCAAGCACTT	GGTAATGAAG	TTGCACAGTA	CTCTACACAA	AATATGGCAG	2220
CAAATAACAT	TTCATATGTT	ATCTGGCAAC	AAAAGTTTTA	CTCAAATACA	AATAGTATTT	2280
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 TAAAATCTAA GTCTGTAAAG ATTATTGAAA ACGCTTTAAA AACAGATATA ATAAGGTTTG 2580  
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 GTTATGAGTA TCAAAAAAAG TGTGATTGGT TTTTGCCTCG GAGCTGCAGC ATTATCAATG 3420  
 TTTGCTTG TGACAGTAG TCAATCTGTT ATGGCTGCCG AGAAGGATAA AGTCGAAATT 3480  
 (SEQ ID NO:37)

FIG. 7a

NSIWRFFLNK WLVKASSLVV LGGMVLSAGS RVLADTYVRP IDNGRITTGF 50  
 NGYPGHCGVD YAVPTGTIIR AVADGTVKFA GAGANFSWMT DLAGNCVMIQ 100  
 HADGMHSGYA HMSRVVARTG EKVKGQDIIG YVGATGMATG PHLHFEFLPA 150  
 NPNFQNGFHG RINPTSLIAN VATESGKTQA SAPSIKPLQS APVQNQSSKL 200  
 KVYRVDELQK VNGVWLKNN TLTPTGFDWN DNGIPASEID EVDANGNLTA 250  
 DQVLQKGGYF IFNPKTLKTV EKPIQGTAGL TWAKTRFANG SSVWLRVDNS 300  
 QELLYK (SEQ ID NO:38) 306

FIG. 7b

MKMNKKVLLT	STMAASLLSV	ASVQAQETDT	TWTARTVSEV	KADLVKQDNK	50
SSYTVKYGDT	LSVISEAMSI	DMNVLAKINN	IADINLIYPE	TTLTVTYDQK	100
SHTATSMKIE	TPATNAAGQT	TATVDLKTNO	VSVADQKVSL	NTISEGMTPE	150
AATTIVSPMK	TYSSAPALKS	KEVLAQEQAV	SQAAANEQVS	TAPVKSITSE	200
VPAAKEEVKP	TQTSVSQSTT	VSPASVAAET	PAPVAKVAPV	RTVAAPRVAS	250
VKVVTPKVET	GASPEHVSAP	AVPVTTTSTA	TDSKLQATEV	KSVPVAQKAP	300
TATPVAQPAS	TTNAVAAHPE	NAGLQPHVAA	YKEKVASTYG	VNEFSTYRAG	350
DPGDHGKGLA	VDFIVGKNQA	LGNEVAQYST	QNMAANNISY	VIWQQKFYSN	400
TNSIYGPAANT	WNAMPDRGGV	TANHYDHVHV	SFNK	(SEQ ID NO:39)	434

FIG. 7c

MPHLSKEAFK	KQIKNGIIVS	CQALPGEPLY	TESGGVMPLL	ALAAQEAGAV	50
GIRANSVRDI	KEIQEVTNLP	IIGIIKREYP	PQEPFITATM	TEVDQLASLD	100
IAVIALDCTL	RERHDGLSVA	EFIQKIKGKY	PEQLLMADIS	TFEEGKNAFE	150
AGVDFVGTTL	SGYTDYXRQE	EGPDIELLNK	LCQAGIDVIA	EGKIHTPKQA	200
NEINHIGVAG	IVVGGAITRP	KEIAERFISG	LS	(SEQ ID NO:40)	232

FIG. 7d

MSIKKSVIGF	CLGAAALSMF	ACVDSSQSVM	AAEKDKVEI	39
(SEQ ID NO:41)				

FIG. 7e

ATGAAAATGA	ATAAAAAGGT	ACTATTGACA	TCGACAATGG	CAGCTTCGCT	50
ATTATCAGTC	GCAAGTGTTT	AAGCACAAGA	AACAGATACG	ACGTGGACAG	100
CACGTACTGT	TTCAGAGGTA	AAGGCTGATT	TGGTAAAGCA	AGACAATAAA	150
TCATCATATA	CTGTGAAATA	TGGTGATACA	CTAAGCGTTA	TTTCAGAAGC	200
AATGTCAATT	GATATGAATG	TCTTAGCAAA	AATTAATAAC	ATTGCAGATA	250
TCAATCTTAT	TTATCCTGAG	ACAACACTGA	CAGTAACTTA	CGATCAGAAG	300
AGTCATACTG	CCACTTCAAT	GAAAATAGAA	ACACCAGCAA	CAAATGCTGC	350
TGGTCAAACA	ACAGCTACTG	TGGATTTGAA	AACCAATCAA	GTTTCTGTTG	400
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GCAGCAACAA	CGATTGTTTC	GCCAATGAAG	ACATATTCTT	CTGCGCCAGC	500
TTTGAAATCA	AAAGAAGTAT	TAGCACAAGA	GCAAGCTGTT	AGTCAAGCAG	550
CAGCTAATGA	ACAGGTATCA	ACAGCTCCTG	TGAAGTCGAT	TACTTCAGAA	600
GTTCCAGCAG	CTAAAGAGGA	AGTTAAACCA	ACTCAGACGT	CAGTCAGTCA	650
GTCAACAACA	GTATCACCAG	CTTCTGTTGC	CGCTGAAACA	CCAGCTCCAG	700
TAGCTAAAGT	AGCACCGGTA	AGAAGTGTAG	CAGCCCCTAG	AGTGGCAAGT	750
GTAAAGTAG	TCACTCCTAA	AGTAGAAACT	GGTGCATCAC	CAGAGCATGT	800
ATCAGCTCCA	GCAGTTCCTG	TGACTACGAC	TTCAACAGCT	ACAGACAGTA	850
AGTTACAAGC	GAAGTGAAGT	AAGAGCGTTC	CGGTAGCACA	AAAAGCTCCA	900
ACAGCAACAC	CGGTAGCACA	ACCAGCTTCA	ACAACAAATG	CAGTAGCTGC	950
ACATCCTGAA	AATGCAGGGC	TCCAACCTCA	TGTTGCAGCT	TATAAAGAAA	1000
AAGTAGCGTC	AACTTATGGA	GTAAATGAAT	TCAGTACATA	CCGTGCAGGT	1050
GATCCAGGTG	ATCATGGTAA	AGGTTTAGCA	GTCGACTTTA	TTGTAGGTAA	1100
AAACCAAGCA	CTTGGTAATG	AAGTTGCACA	GTACTCTACA	CAAAATATGG	1150
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ACAAATAGTA	TTTATGGACC	TGCTAATACT	TGGAATGCAA	TGCCAGATCG	1250
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AATAA					1305

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FIG. 8

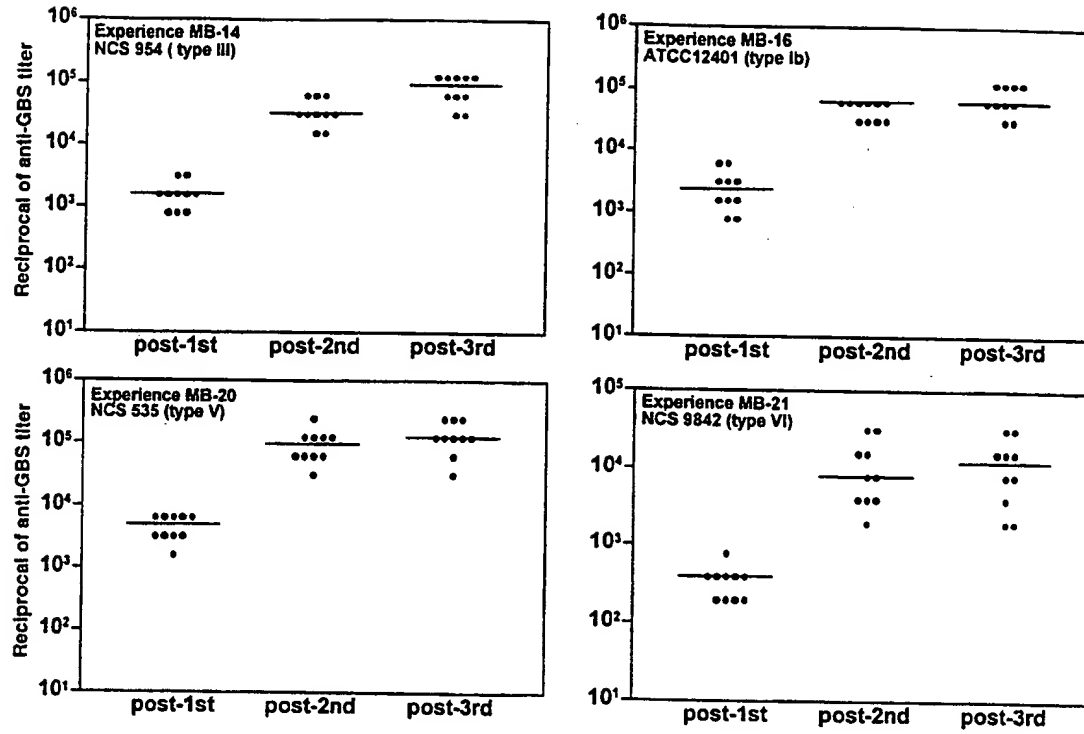
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ATACACTAAG	CGTTATTTCA	GAAGCAATGT	CAATTGATAT	GAATGTCTTA	150
GCAAAAATTA	ATAACATTGC	AGATATCAAT	CTTATTTATC	CTGAGACAAC	200
ACTGACAGTA	ACTTACGATC	AGAAGAGTCA	TACTGCCACT	TCAATGAAAA	250
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TGAAGACATA	TTCTTCTGCG	CCAGCTTTGA	AATCAAAAGA	AGTATTAGCA	450
CAAGAGCAAG	CTGTTAGTCA	AGCAGCAGCT	AATGAACAGG	TATCAACAGC	500
TCCTGTGAAG	TCGATTACTT	CAGAAGTTCC	AGCAGCTAAA	GAGGAAGTTA	550
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GTTGCCGCTG	AAACACCAGC	TCCAGTAGCT	AAAGTAGCAC	CGGTAAGAAC	650
TGTAGCAGCC	CCTAGAGTGG	CAAGTGTTAA	AGTAGTCACT	CCTAAAGTAG	700
AAACTGGTGC	ATCACCAGAG	CATGTATCAG	CTCCAGCAGT	TCCTGTGACT	750
ACGACTTCAA	CAGCTACAGA	CAGTAAGTTA	CAAGCGACTG	AAGTTAAGAG	800
CGTTCCGGTA	GCACAAAAAG	CTCCAACAGC	AACACCGGTA	GCACAACCAG	850
CTTCAACAAC	AAATGCAGTA	GCTGCACATC	CTGAAAATGC	AGGGCTCCAA	900
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FIG. 9a

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&lt;211&gt; 232

&lt;212&gt; PRT

&lt;213&gt; Streptococcus

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1. Claims: 1-10,15,17-23,26,29,32-48 (all partially)

An isolated polynucleotide encoding a polypeptide having a sequence selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID 2, SEQ ID NO 3, SEQ ID NO 4, SEQ ID NO 5, SEQ ID NO 6 i.e. the open reading frames of clone 1 (SEQ ID NO 1). Also a vector comprising the polynucleotide, a host cell transformed therewith, an isolated polypeptide encoded by the polynucleotide, a vaccine composition comprising said polypeptide and a polynucleotide having a sequence SEQ ID NO 1.

2. Claims: 1-10,15,17-23,26,29,32-48 (all partially)

Same as invention 1, but directed at polypeptides of clone 2 (SEQ ID 7) with sequences SEQ ID NO 8-12.

3. Claims: 1-10,15,17-23,26,29,32-48 (all partially)

Same as invention 1, but directed at polypeptides of clone 3 (SEQ ID 13) with sequences SEQ ID NO 14-21.

4. Claims: 1-10,15,17-23,26,29,32-48 (all partially)

Same as invention 1, but directed at polypeptides of clone 4 (SEQ ID 22) with sequences SEQ ID NO 23-26.

5. Claims: 1-10,15,17-23,26,29,32-48 (all partially)

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